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General Motors Lowers Wages, Cuts Prices

Truman Threatens to 'Stump' U. S. for Program

GOP Hopes President Will Do It

Washington, Feb. 25—(AP) — President Truman's notice that he may stump the country for his legislative program drew a "hop to it" response from Republicans today.

Mr. Truman, in the down-to-earth lingo he used successfully in last year's campaign, told enthusiastic Democrats at Jefferson-Jackson day dinners last night that Republicans are trying to "cripple" labor unions and hold minimum wages to a "starvation level."

And the capacity crowds cheered as he declared that "special interests" on Capitol hill may compel him to board a train again soon "to tell the people how their government is getting on."

Warns of Depression

The Republicans, the president charged, want to destroy the farm price support program and force the government to "do nothing" policy which would let the American economy "slide into a depression."

To this, most Republicans had one answer:

Let the president first find out how he stands with his own party: then let him appeal to the people.

Senator Brewster of Maine, chairman of the GOP senatorial campaign committee, said the president seems to forget that he has a Democratic congress.

"What's become of his majority in both houses?" Brewster

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Weight Limitations Road Posting Is Due

Frederick Leake, Jr., assistant to Frederick Leake, Lee county superintendent of highways, announced today, that the posting of weight limitations on roads, an annual procedure with the county highways office, is about due.

Mr. Leake said that all truckers, including farmers, stockmen and milk haulers should concentrate on getting their heavy hauling done now while the frost remains in the roads. He said that following recent heavy rains, the office had received several reports of heavily loaded trucks being mired down on some Lee county side roads.

Howell Will Hearing Is Set for March 21

A hearing on the amended petition for the probate of the will of the late Robert H. Howell, who died on Dec. 22, 1948, following a long illness, has been set for March 21, 1949, at 10.00 a. m. in county court, with Judge Grover W. Gehant presiding.

Robert Howell, who died at 79, was born in Australia, April 20, 1869, and came to Dixon approximately 70 years ago. He had retired several years prior to his death. In the years just preceding his death, Mr. Howell had been hospitalized at KSB

Banquet Chairman Offers to Make Refunds to "All Comers"

On the front page of Thursday's Evening Telegraph, we published a letter from a "Son of Dixon" protesting the banquet at the Brinton Memorial Masonic Temple on Tuesday. It was round one in a controversy that seems to need little explanation. Round two follows:

Round Two

Sterling, Ill
Feb. 24, 1949

Editor, Dixon Evening Telegraph,
Dear Sir,

Please grant me the same privilege you granted "A Son of Dixon" and publish this on the front page of your "City" paper.

We will be happy to refund "A Son of Dixon" or any guest who attended the banquet in the Masonic Temple on Feb. 22nd, $1.75 per plate, which is the amount we are to receive from the Dixon Chamber of Commerce. We received so many compliments on the service and food that we are indeed surprised to see this letter in your evening paper.

Send all requests for refunds to me with name and address, on or before March 1st.

Ruth C Atwill
Chairman,
1104 E. 14th st.,
Sterling, Ill.

Round Three

In another letter received by The Telegraph here today, Harold Cook, chairman of the "Sons of Dixon" committee defends the banquet at the Masonic Temple last Tuesday night. He states that "the catering organization at the Temple received $1.75 per plate . . . not the $5.00 as you indicated."

Mr Cook's letter follows:

City Editor Bryn Griffith,
Dixon Evening Telegraph,
Dixon, Illinois.
Dear Mr. Griffith:

I believe an explanation is due in regard to the front page story in last evening's issue of the Telegraph concerning the "Sons of Dixon" party.

First of all, the catering organization at the Temple received $1.75 per plate . . . not the $5.00 as you indicated. In all fairness to the organization this should be emphasized to your readers. This has been, more or less, a standard price for dinners at the Temple. The income from these dinners is practically the only income outside of dues that is available to them.

When the ticket price was established we had expected to pay a substantial amount to the Elk's club for serving the cocktails and hor d'oeuvres. We are, indeed, most grateful to the Elk's club for the donation of the hor d'oeuvres and the beautiful manner in which they were served.

We had no idea how many of the invitations mailed out to the Son's of Dixon would be accepted. (Nearly four hundred were mailed) It was necessary for us to make the tickets high enough to cover all expenses that might arise. We all thought the amount a bit high, but we were convinced that it would be better to possibly make a profit than to have to solicit funds to pay the bills after the affair was over.

Due to the excellent cooperation and publicity by the Dixon Evening Telegraph we were able to make a profit which will be used by the Chamber of Commerce in its many activities to help Dixon a better city . . . a city that its "Son's" will always be mightly proud to call their own.

Most sincerely,
Harold C Cook, chairman.
Son's of Dixon Committee

Note to Mr. Cook: —

From many of the 'phone calls we have received, as well as comments in person from some of the guests who attended the banquet, even at $1.75 a plate they were greatly over-charged. I think it was made clear in Thursday's Telegraph that the $5.00 covered everything in regards to the affair including expenses right down the line.

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Round Four

Maybe We Helped, Too!

Judging from another letter received by The Evening Telegraph this morning, it seems that we helped a little bit on putting over the "Sons of Dixon" event here last Tuesday. The letter follows:

February 24, 1949

Mrs. Mabel Shaw, Publisher,
Dixon Evening Telegraph,
Dixon, Illinois
My Dear Mrs. Shaw:

The executive committee of the Son's of Dixon celebration wish to express their gratitude to the entire staff of the Dixon Evening Telegraph for the splendid cooperation offered us in our recent celebration.

The Dixon Evening Telegraph is to be highly commended for the outstanding publicity given the Son's of Dixon homecoming. We sincerely appreciate the fine cooperation of City Editor Bryn Griffith in giving us front page publicity and the efforts of Mr. Fulmer in gathering the information concerning our distingusihed guests. Mrs. Ethel Buchner is to congratulated on the excellent photography and Cliff Coughlin for his articles on the sports page.

We are, indeed, very grateful to you for helping us make this such an outstanding event.

Most sincerely,
Harold C. Cook, chairman,
Son's of Dixon Committee

"I Stepped on Toes" Says Louise Strong

ANNA LOUISE STRONG

New York, Feb. 25—(AP)—Anna Louise Strong, American writer deported from Russia as a spy, said today she "was stepping on somebody's toes" in the Soviet Union.

The 64-year-old newspaperwoman was interviewed at the federal courthouse after she had spent 30 minutes before a federal grand jury investigating subversive activities.

On her arrival from Europe by plane yesterday, she denied spying on the Soviets, a denial she repeated today.

Then she said "I was working out an assignment that I thought would interest the newspapers of the world and the wider interests of mankind.

"In the present disturbed condition in the world, any normal questions by a reporter arouses suspicion among lower officials of any government.

"I was stepping on somebody's toes. I was making many officials mad."

"However, I was doing it unconsciously. I thought I was doing them a favor. All countries have stupid officials and prosecutors who once they have decided against you, go out to get their man."

She did not identify the officials whom she said she angered.

Asked if she ever had been or now is a communist party member, Miss Strong replied

"That is a $64 question which I will answer before the grand jury if they ask me, but not for you."

Miss Strong's writings have been described as consistently pro-Soviet.

Pleasure Cars To Be Cheaper by $10 to $40

Washington, Feb. 25—(AP)—General Motors corporation today cut prices and wages as the cost of living index dropped for the fourth straight month.

The price cuts ranged from $10 to $40 on all GM passenger automobiles and Chevrolet trucks.

The wages, tied to the cost of living index, were reduced two cents an hour for 273,000 production workers. The firm's 68,000 salaried employes took a flat $10 cut in quarterly living allowances.

GM, the nation's biggest auto maker, attributed the price cuts partly to the pay reductions and partly to lower costs of certain materials.

The wage reduction was estimated to save $9,000,000 to $10,000,000 annually in the production workers' payroll.

These savings, GM said, are being passed along immediately to the consumer. It was GM's first price cut since the war.

for the GM workers under the corporation's usual two year contract with the CIO United Auto Workers. The wages are pegged to the ups and downs of the government's cost of living index. The contract still has more than a year to run.

The index showed today that from Dec. 15 to Jan. 15 the retail prices of goods and services purchased by moderate-income city families declined to 0.3 per cent.

Soon after the GM announcement, its Chevrolet division reported, briefly, that a $10 reduction would become effective today on all its passenger cars and trucks.

Buick announced its reductions will range from $16 to $30.

Other reductions:

Pontiac: $15 off on all models.

Oldsmobile: $15 off on the "76" series and $20 off on the "88" and "98" series.

Cadillac: $25 off on the "61" and "62" series, $30 off on the "60 special" and $40 off on the series "75."

Commodities Drop

The latest index (Jan. 15) was still 1.2 per cent higher than a year ago, 28.2 per cent over June, 1946—when major price controls were abandoned—and 73.3 per cent above the August 1939 level. The index has now dropped 2.1 per cent below the record, which was in August and September of 1948. The December-January reduction was attributed more to lower prices for apparel and house furnishings rather than lower food prices. However, drops were recorded on meats, eggs, fats and oils, and dairy products.

The auto union called the index report 'a welcome economic sign."

"The GM workers accept the March cost of living adjustment not as a 'pay cut' but as an indication that prices are on the way down," said T. A. Johnstone, assistant director of the union's GM department.

GM pays its production workers $1.65 an hour.

On the basis of a 40-hour week and a 50-week working year, the two cents an hour pay cut would total $9,000,000 a year in payroll savings.

There was no official estimate immediately available from General Motors

The General Motors wage arrangement with the CIO auto union

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Market Up, Headed by Rail Issues

New York, Feb. 25—(AP)—Railway stocks paced a rally in today's market, the first advance in six sessions.

Prices headed downward at the opening but almost immediately the trend was reversed.

Buying enthusiasm, lukewarm at best, cooled off after gains of fractions to more than a point were scored. Here and there advances were narrowed a bit or even wiped out.

Trading was about on a par with recent slow sessions.

Up were Santa Fe, Nickel Plate, Illinois Central, Great Northern preferred, Southern Pacific, Youngstown Sheet, Douglas Aircraft, American Telephone, Radio Corp., American Woolen, International Paper, Standard Oil (NJ) and Loew's.

Balky spots included Firestone, Caterpillar Tractor, Electric Power & Light, Phelps Dodge, Du Pont, U. S. Gypsum, and American Tobacco.

Bonds moved narrowly. U. S governments held steady in the over-the-counter dealings.

Jean Arthur, Married 16 Years, Files Suit

Santa Monica, Calif., Feb. 25—(AP)—Jean Arthur's 16-year marriage, long regarded as one of Hollywood's more stable unions, is on the rocks.

The actress, now 40, has filed for divorce from Frank Ross, New York real estate man turned film producer, and hearing has been set for March 14. She alleged cruelty, and he has filed denial.

Miss Arthur and Ross were married June 11, 1932, at Forest Hills, N. Y., and separated Jan. 3 this year. They have no children.

Campaign Planned 'On "Go to Church"

Los Angeles, Feb. 25—(AP)—A nationwide "Go to Church" advertising campaign is about to break.

The idea of churchgoing will be promoted on a nonsectarian basis through newspapers, magazines, radio, television, movies and billboards. A group of prominent laymen figure it's time to spread the religious word in a modern way.

Minister Says 'Guilty' to Bulgarian Charges

By DIMITER MISHEV

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 25—(AP)—The trial of 15 Protestant churchmen opened tod with a plea of guilty by Nikola Naumov, a Baptist minister, to crimes against the Bulgarian state.

The 15 clergymen are accused of treason, espionage and black market money dealing.

Naumov is one of the four principal defendants and a member of the supreme council of the United Evangelical Churches. Even before the trial started the government said all had made confessions.

Naumov was the first defendant to take the witness stand.

Speaking in a loud, firm voice, he told the court, "I am guilty," and expressed regret for his activities.

He then went into a two-hour discourse of his actions which the government alleges are treasonable.

Accused of Spying

All 15 defendants, who are accused of spying for Britain and the United States, were in court for the opening ceremonies. They sat on five front benches with 15 unarmed policemen - one for each defendant.

Prosecutor Dimiter Georgi and his assistant Todor Tsakov first came into the crowded little court room. Then Judge Constantin Undjiev and the two jurors, Luka Lulchev and Veayo Vjevizelv, took their places on the bench

Dressed in his black clerical suit, Naumov said he had worked for American espionage agents and had delivered military and other information to Cyril Black, then secretary of the U. S. political mission.

He said Black was "the center of American espionage activities in Bulgaria after 1944."

"Fantastic," Says Black

(Black is a professor at Princeton university. He previously has declared the charges were "fantastic.")

President Judge Undjiev told the defendant if the court "is impressed by your sincerity, this will be taken into consideration in the passing of sentence."

One American and two British official observers were in court along with 25 newspaper reporters. The American observer was Mrs. Mary Johnson, press and cultural attache.

Began Spying in 1938

Naumov said he began collecting information for the western powers in 1938 and at the time of the visit of a man named Sielbrant from Vienna, then in charge of inspection of religious functions. He said Sielbrant entrusted him with the task of collecting military, economic and political information, including the movements of troops, boundary fortifications and movements of military trains.

Judge Dixon Taken to Hospital Here

All cases scheduled to be heard in circuit court today, were postponed today when Judge George C. Dixon was taken to KSB hospital at 9.30 this morning.

Judge Dixon spent Thursday morning in his office at the court house preparing for today's cases, but complained about not feeling well about noon.

Hospital officials reported that his condition was good and that he was resting well late this morning.

Charles Schuler Is Enrolled At Kansas

Charles William Schuler, 618 East Fellows street, Dixon, is among the 535 new registrants for the spring semester at the University of Kansas at Lawrence, Kan. These new students bring the number served at K. U. thus far this school year to an all-time high of 10,286. Schuler enrolled in the graduate school at K. U. at Lawrence, Kan.

Telephone Workers to Seek Increases

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP) The Communication Workers of America will ask a fourth wage increase for its 200,000 independent union members, says Joseph A. Beirne.

The amount of the demands to be made on the nation's telephone industry, Beirne said, will be determined at the CWA's national convention in Chicago June 12

Rep. Noble Improves After Heart Attack

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP) State Rep. Noble W. Lee (R-Chicago) is improving in Chicago Memorial hospital following a heart attack.

Lee was stricken yesterday at his office. A fire squad gave him oxygen.

He is dean of Chicago's John Marshall law school

Sally's Pay by Axis Was Slow, Claim

Washington, Feb. 25—(AP) — "Axis Sally" says the Germans never paid her in full for the work which now has brought her to trial on treason charges.

Her money troubles with the Nazis were related to the jury shortly before the trial adjourned for the week-end late yesterday.

Mildred E. (Axis Sally) Gillars, 48, is scheduled to resume her story—of being an unwilling nazi propogandist who never intended to betray the United States—when the trial resumes Monday.

In two days on the witness stand, Miss Gillars, often tearfully, has insisted repeatedly that she loves America and that she worked for the wartime German radio "in order to live."

Miss Gillars' attorney, James J. Laughlin, asked her.

"Did you ever intend to betray the United States?"

"Not at any time," she replied

"Did you ever intend to adhere to the enemy?" Laughlin next asked.

"Anyone who knows me knows that is not true. If we could only have the witnesses from Germany who knew me from year to year."

Miss Gillars told the jury German radio officials always failed to send her the money they promised, to finance her trips to prisoner of war camps and hospitals to record messages from American soldiers.

Baldwin Camp Has a Patriotic Meeting

Baldwin Camp and Auxiliary will hold their annual patriotic program and party for those who have birthdays in February, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Helmick, tonight, February 25. A scramble supper will be served at 6.30. All members and friends are invited.

A.&P. Trust Conviction Upheld by High Court

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP)—The 1946 anti-trust conviction of the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea company and 24 officers and subsidiary companies was unanimously affirmed yesterday by the U. S. circuit court of appeals.

In sustaining the conviction by Federal Judge Walter C. Lindley at Danville, Ill., the appellate court held that the chain grocery concern had "used its large buying power to coerce suppliers to sell it at a lower price than to its competitors."

The coercion, the opinion added, was a "threat" by the company that it would place "recalcitrant suppliers" on a blacklist or enter the supply business itself in competition with them.

The conviction and assessment of a total of $175,000 in fines by Judge Lindley followed a 22-weeks trial in which approximately 20 witnesses testified and the government alone added 4,445 documents to the voluminous evidence.

Had Their Favorites

Judge Lindley held that the company had favored certain individuals and companies in its operations. He fined ten of the defendants, including individuals and A & P subsidiaries, $10,000 each. Among them were John A. Hartford, then 73, and his brother, George, 82, heads of the chain. The other defendants were fined $5,000 each.

The Appellate court's' 18-page opinion was written by Judge Sherman Minton. The concurring judges are J. Earl Major and Otto Kerner.

They concluded that the company used its advantage to undersell competitors and to select locations in which the advantage would be used.

"This price advantage," the

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Russia Moves Troops Toward Norway Border

Helsinki, Finland, Feb. 25—(AP)—Russia has moved additional troops to Norway's arctic border, according to an authoritative Finnish source.

The informant said the troop movement was observed last week and apparently was in connection with Norway's stand on the proposed north Atlantic pact with the United States.

The source, who refused to permit use of his name, had no estimate of the number of troops, but said they had been moved close to Norway's 122-mile border from the Murmansk area.

Russia gained a common frontier with Norway in the peace settlement with Finland in which Finland ceded the Petsamo region to the Soviet union.

The informant said there was no sign of similar troop movements to the Finnish border.

Last year Finland and Russia concluded a friendship and mutual assistance pact.

Russia first reminded Norway of their common frontier and warned her to stay out of the Alliance, and then offered the Scandinavian country a non-aggression pact.

In reply Norway declared it was not her intention to grant any peace-time military bases to foreign powers. Foreign Minister Halvard M. Lange this week declared his country pins its security on the North Atlantic alliance.

So far Norway has not replied to the proferred non-aggression pact. But informed sources at Oslo have made it plain the offer will be rejected.

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Is Wall Street a Fair Barometer of Business?

New York, Feb. 25(AP)——Wall Street wonders what the stock market is discounting this time

Are the price declines of the last five sessions a "barometer" of business conditions some months ahead? Time was when that theory would have been generally held.

But today many people are likelier to pay more attention to this morning's dramatic news from Detroit- General Motor's reduction in wages and prices.

Some say the stock market has lost forever its old role of forecaster, and has become purely a reflector of current events.

Look at the market's record since the war as a "barometer of business conditions."

The "Coming Recession"

The sharp break in stock prices in the late summer and fall of 1946 was called by the market-wise "discounting the coming recession." Last fall, two years later, they were still talking about "the coming recession." Never before had the market discounted so far in advance, if that was what it was doing.

Now, many businessmen are speaking of the recession in the present tense. They may cite General Motor's price cut as another sign of that.

Government officials, most of them, still stubbornly refer to the recession in the future tense. They will hail the wage-price cuts by the motors giant as a healthy sign.

Most economists are still strad-

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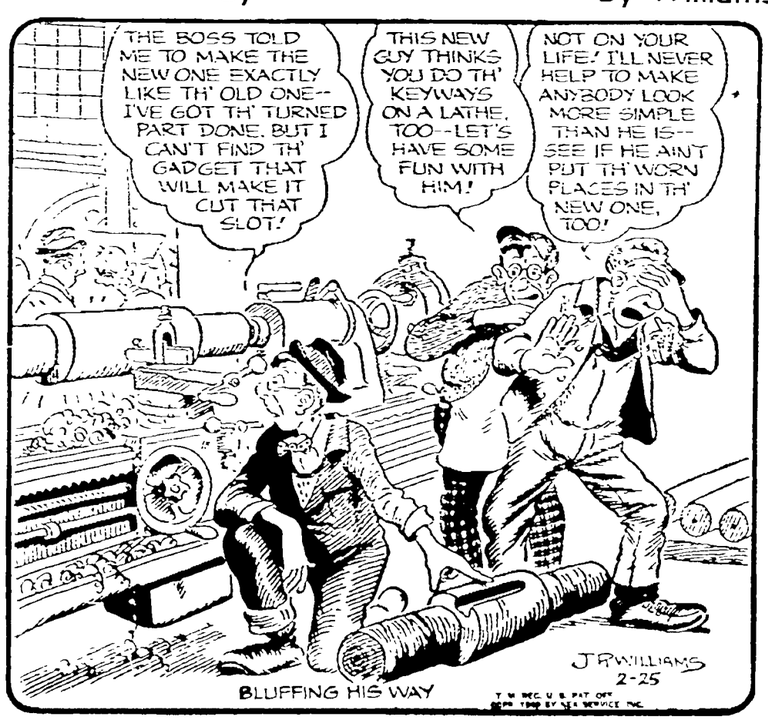

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LEGAL PUBLICATION

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois)
) ss.
County of Lee)

Estate of Bertha Priebe, Deceased

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Bertha Priebe, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee county, at the court house in Dixon, Illinois at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 14th day of March, 1949, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, February 25, A. D. 1949.

EMMA NOBLE,
Administrator
Merrick & Merrick, Attorneys
Feb. 25, March 4, 1949

LEGAL PUBLICATION

NOTICE OF ELECTION
DIXON PARK DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1949, pursuant to law under "An Act to provide for the creation and operation of a Retirement and Benefit Fund for the benefit of certain officers and employees, and their beneficiaries, of cities having a population of not more than two hundred thousand inhabitants, villages, incorporated towns, counties having a population of not more than five hundred thousand inhabitants, and certain other local governmental districts in the State, and to supercede certain other pension and benefit funds," filed July 29, 1939, as subsequently amended, an election has been called and will be held in and for the Dixon Park District in the county of Lee and State of Illinois, at which election there will be submitted the following proposition:

SHALL THE DIXON PARK DISTRICT OF THE COUNTY OF LEE AND STATE OF ILLINOIS BE INCLUDED WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF AN ACT CREATING THE "ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND," FILED JULY 29, 1939, as AMENDED, NOW IN FORCE AND EFFECT?

The Polls will be open at 6 o'clock a. m. and will close at 5 o'clock p. m., on said day.

Said Election will be held in the election district heretofore established for that purpose, the boundaries of which and the polling place for which being as follows:

All the territory within the limits of the said Dixon Park District, and more particularly described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point where the Easterly boundary line of said District intersects the middle line of Rock River and running thence Southerly along the Easterly boundary line to the Southeast corner of said District; thence Westerly along the Southerly boundary line of said District to the Southwest corner of said District; thence Northerly along the Westerly boundary line of said District to the middle of Rock River, thence up the middle of Rock River in an Easterly and Northerly direction to a point where the middle line of Rock River intersects the Westerly line of the right-of-way of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, thence Northeasterly along the Westerly boundary line of the said railroad company right of way to the center line of Section Thirty-two (32); thence north along the center line of said Section Thirty-two to a point where it intersects the Easterly line of Brinton Avenue, or Hazelwood Road, thence North in a straight line along the East boundary of said Road and the extension thereof to the South line of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, thence West to the East line of the public highway along the West line of said Section Seventeen (17); thence North to the North line of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said Section Seventeen (17); thence East on the half section line of said Section to the middle of Rock River, thence Southerly along the middle of Rock River to the place of beginning; all situated in the Town of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

POLLING PLACE—North side of First Floor Lobby, Lee County Court House, East Second Street, Dixon, Illinois.

By order of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Dixon Park District and pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance Number 55 of said District and dated this 23rd day of February, 1949.

OLAF V. REES
Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Dixon Park District.
Feb. 23, 24, 25, 1949

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, April 4, 1949, is the claim date in the estate of Mary Christine Bradley, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Orville J. Bradley,
Executor
Edward A. Jones, Attorney
Feb. 17, 24, March 3, 1949

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6:00 Jim Blade—WMAQ
News—WLS
Preston Bradley—WGN
Beulah—WBBM
6:15 News of the World—WMAQ
Jack Smith Show—WBBM
Air Edition—WLS
Passing Parade—WGN
6:30 Robert Hurleigh—WGN
Lone Ranger—WLS
Club 15—WBBM
Hometowners—WMAQ
6:45 Inside of Sports—WGN.
News—WMAQ
News—WBBM
7:00 Band of America—WMAQ
Jack Carson—WBBM
The Fat Man—WLS
Great Play Scenes—WGN
7:30 Yours for a Song—WGN
This Is Your FBI—WLS.
Jimmy Durante—WMAQ
My Favorite Husband—WBBM
8:00 Theater Program—WBBM
Eddie Cantor Show—WMAQ
Gabriel Heatter—WGN
Break The Bank—WENR
8:30 Red Skelton—WMAQ
Music Comedy—WBBM
The Sheriff—WENR
Enchanted Hour—WGN
9.00 Meet the Press—WGN
Cavalcade of Sports—WENR
Life of Riley—WMAQ
Playhouse—WBBM
9:30 Johnny Dollar—WBBM
Hollywood Theater—WGN
Sports Newsreel—WMAQ
10:00 Supper Club—WMAQ.
News—WBBM
New Reports—WENR.
Jim Ameche—WGN
10.15 Calling All Detectives—WGN
Paul Gibson—WBBM
Kleve Kirby, News—WMAQ
Date After Ten—WENR
10:30 Billy Leake Show—WBBM
Barry Wood—WMAQ
Elson on Century—WENR
News—WGN
10:45 News—WBBM
Tunes and Tips—WMAQ
11:00 News—WMAQ WENR
Music Please—WBBM
Musical Notes—WGN
11.30 Orchestras—WGN, WENR.
12:00 Night Watch—WIND
Orchestra—WGN
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HORIZONTAL
1 Depicted stinging insect
5 Goddess of plenty
8 Singing voice
12 Preposition
13 Female deer
14 Opening
15 Born
16 There are 1500 known varieties in —— America alone
18 Frozen water
19 Thulium (symbol)
20 Advance
22 Id est (ab.)
23 Ireland
25 Persian tentmaker
27 Incursion
28 Bothers
29 Exist
30 Symbol for tin
31 Either
32 Note of scale
33 Italian city
35 Give forth
38 Encourage
39 Grade
40 Compass point
41 Lures
47 Any
48 Sea eagle
50 Command
51 Note in Guido's scale
52 Falsifier
54 Every one
55 Pertaining to the ear
56 Norse myth
57 Caress
58 Visage

VERTICAL
1 Most of these insects die in the ——
2 Bloodlessness
3 Female saint (ab.)
4 Italian river
5 Scent
6 Harbor
7 Biblical character
8 Bachelor of Science (ab.)
9 Mohammedan name
10 Some varieties are solitary, others ——
11 Guides
16 Greek letter
17 Pronoun
20 Unite
21 Cooking vessels
24 Pentose sugar
26 Least amounts
33 Door parts
34 European peninsula
36 Style of printing type
37 Bridge holding
42 Negative reply
43 Snare
44 Unoccupied
45 Ancient ax
46 Comparative suffix
49 Scold
51 Seventh Greek letter
53 Egyptian sun god
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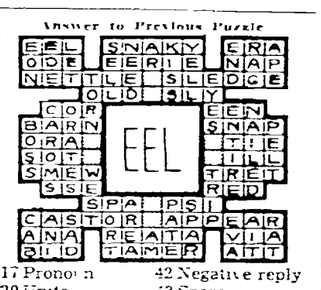

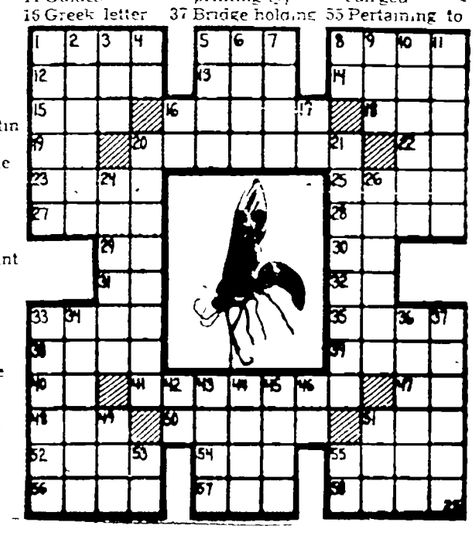

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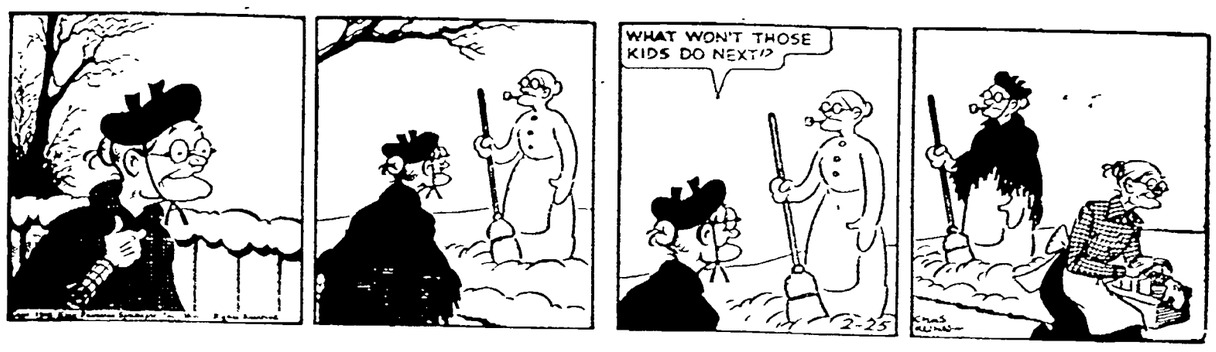

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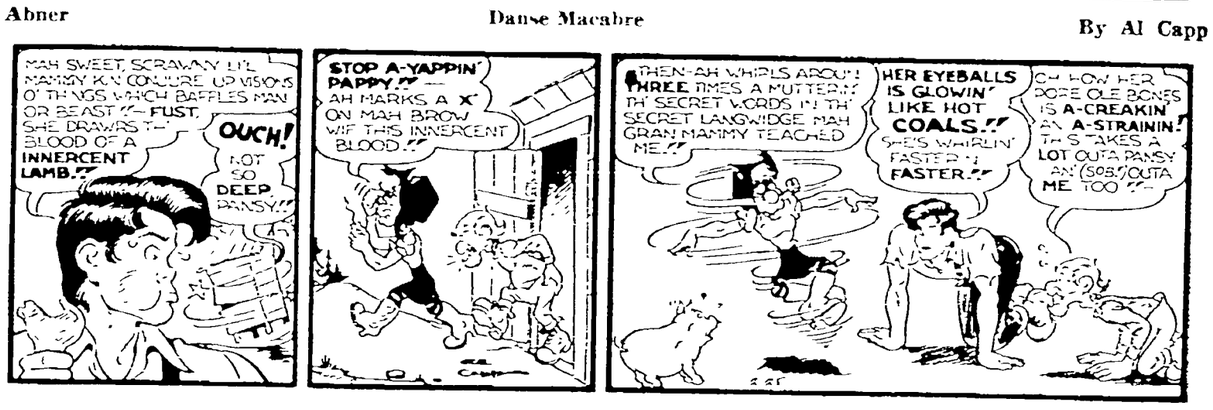

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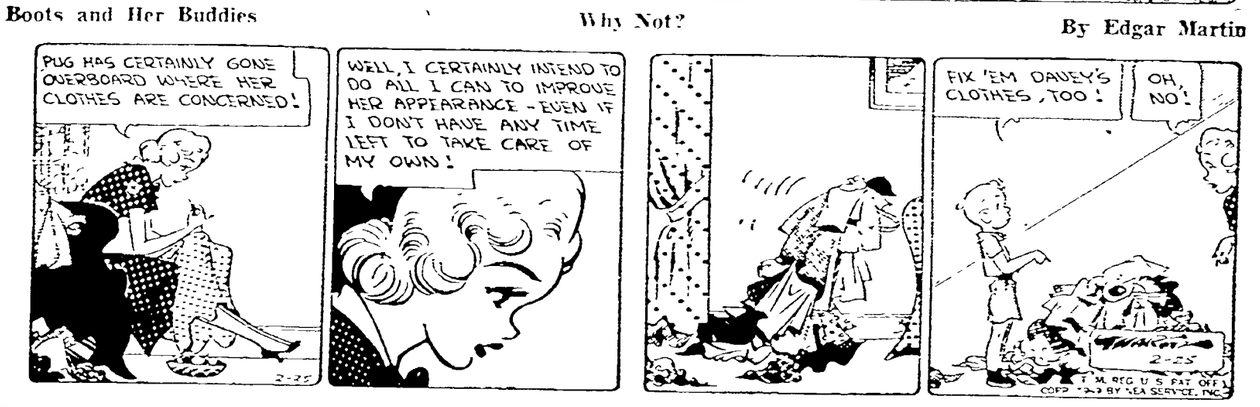

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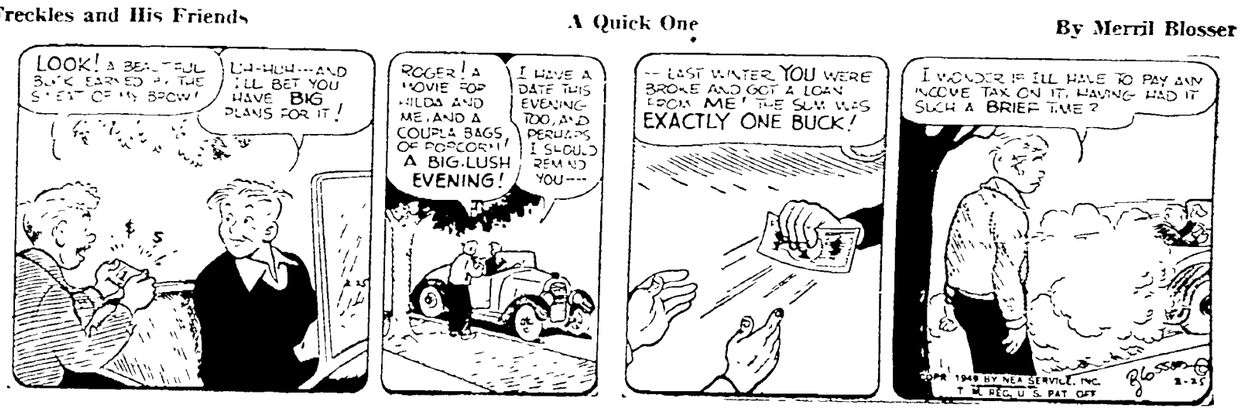

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Brooklyn Auxiliary Meets; Plans Party

Compton—The Brooklyn American Legion auxiliary held its regular meeting Monday evening. There were four guests present.

The unit voted $5 toward buying a washing machine as an Easter gift to the cottage of 15 high school girls at I S S C. S at Normal, which is sponsored by the 12th and 13th districts. They also decided to make 10 pair of scuffies to be sent to a Veteran's hospital.

The president Marcella Rhoads announced that the patriotic conference will be held March 24 at the Morrison hotel, Chicago.

The Brooklyn unit will entertain the county council at a supper Monday evening, March 25 at the Masonic hall. Members are to bring a dish to pass and table service. A hot dish and coffee will be furnished by the committee.

Miss Maurine Guest, Rochelle, was guest speaker. She gave a talk on her work and activities, while attending Illinois Girl's state, at MacMurray college, Jacksonville.

The hostesses were Olga Grabb Ruby Gunn, Marie Gehant, Florence Haefner and Lulu Richardson.

At the March meeting the Auxiliary will entertain the Brooklyn post of the Legion at a birthday party. Hostesses will be Georgia Knauer, Etta Jeanblanc, Marie Larson, Edna Hanson, Jean Hanson, Marcella Rhoads and Tena Michel

W. S. C. S. MEETS

Compton—The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Masonic hall Thursday afternoon, Feb. 17. Mrs. Pauline Holdren presided, Mrs. Cora Beemer led in devotions.

Mrs. Ruth Rhoads presented Mrs. A. E. Blomberg, Rock Falls, who gave a talk on "Geographical Frontiers of America" which was a study of the part the missionaries played in settling the U. S. territories, Alaska, Panama Canal zone, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands and Hawaii

Mrs. Blomberg brought along a display of articles from Hawaii, which are sold to tourists After the program the ladies were invited for a lunch by the hostesses, Mary K. Miller, Mabel Cook, Eva Argraves, Gladys Augnenbaugh and Lucille Bauer

ENTERTAINS PINOCHLE CLUB

Mr and Mrs Zere Johnson entertained the Pinochle club Sunday evening Prizes were won by Mrs Gene Baker and Bud Jacobs high and to Mrs Harry Bauer and Ralph Miller, low.

Euchre prizes went to Mrs Ralph Miller and Jerry Johnson.

ENTERTAINED SPEEDWAY CLUB

Mr and Mrs. Charles Bauer entertained the Speedway "500" club Sunday evening at a dinner. Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harms and Mr. and Mrs Floyd Irwin, Rochelle; Mr and Mrs. Willard Petteys, Mr and Mrs. Bernard Eden and son, Rodney, Mr and Mrs. Ed Walter. Card prizes went to Edna Irwin and Bernard Eden, high. Bertha Walter and Herman Harms, second, and Lila Eden and Ed Walter, low.

PUBLIC PARTY

There will be a public card party at the Compton school gymnasium Saturday evening, Feb. 26, at 8 p. m. They will play "500", euchre and bunco.

PARENTS OF A SON

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nelson are the parents of a son born at the Harris hospital, Mendota, Friday afternoon, Feb. 18 He has been named Theodore David.

ENTERTAINED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archer entertained the pupils of the first grade to a birthday party Thursday evening, Feb. 17 in honor of the 7th birthday of their son, James. Game prizes went to Frances Donagh and Michael Dennis

Those attending were Jean Thorne, Diana Jacobs, Frances Donagh, Harold Volkert, Michael Dennis, Edmund Olson, Clyde Estes, Gary Tinsley, Kent Carnahan and Charles Torri.

Jack Thorne, Patsy Gibbs and Bobby Greskiwcz were unable to be present.

DINNER HONORS BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs Robert Doran, Mendota, entertained at a dinner Thursday evening in honor of their son, Kenneth, on his second birthday.

Guests were, Mr and Mrs. Casper Wilhelm and Ernie, Mr. and Mrs. William Aughstetter, West Brooklyn, Mr and Mrs John Doran, Mendota, and Mr and Mrs Charles Bauer, south of Compton.

PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs. Fred Krahenbuhl Nora Springs Ia, visited Mr and Mrs William Kehm and Mrs. Maggie Kehm and Emma King, Compton, and Mr. and Mrs Conrad Kehm, Paw Paw, over the week end.

Mrs Barbara Brank returned to her home at Pontiac after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Knetsch and son, Bruce, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knetsch, Paw Paw

Robert Davis, Champaign, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Leonard Davis.

Hugh Richardson and Robert Bernardin, both of DeKalb, spent the weekend and Monday and Tuesday at the home of their parents

Miss Viola Hauge, DeKalb, spent several days at the home of Mr and Mrs. Russell Dennis, Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Knetsch were dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Marvin Jump Mendota

Mr. and Mrs Joe Carney, Rochelle, and Mrs Maggie Kehm and Emma King, Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Maus and Mr and Mrs. Arthur Maus and daughters and Mr. and Mrs Floyd Wells and Mr. and Mrs. James Harris and daughters were Sunday supper guests at the Mrs Lucy Maus home, Mendota.

IT'S CHANGED NOW

The lower classes were not allowed to fight during a war for 200 years during the Middle Ages Townsmen who agreed to supply military units to the great lords in return for free charters were the one exception Most of the fighting was done by armed knights on horseback.

DeKalb Man Elected Feeder Group Head

Kansas City, Feb. 25—(AP)—C. B. Watson, of DeKalb, Ill., is the newly elected president of the Corn Belt Livestock Feeders association. He was named head of the group at the association's annual meeting yesterday.

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Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, "Man's Question and God's Answer."

Assembly of God radio program over Station WAIT, Chicago, 1:45 p. m.

Evening evangelistic service, 7:30.

A Pentecostal rally on Monday evening, Feb. 28 at 7:45. Musical numbers, testimonies, with old-fashioned hymns and choruses being sung, and an out-of-town speaker will make a profitable evening.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE
Fifth and Ottawa
Elmer B. Fitch, pastor

Bible School at 9.30 a. m. Well instructed classes for all ages.

The morning worship service at 10:45 a. m. The pastor will speak on the subject, "Are You Fruitful or Fruitless?"

Youthspiration at 6.30 p. m. The last Sunday evening of the month means a service of questions.

The evening evangelistic service will be in the form of a "Youth Special". Beginning at 7:30 p. m., the service will include special music by the youth of the congregation.

Wednesday night, choir rehearsal at 7:00. The evening prayer hour at 7:45. The pastor will continue his studies with the Dispensations.

Friday night at 7:30 p. m., Dr. Joseph Free of Wheaton College speaks on "Archeology and the Bible."

WEST SIDE
West Third at Van Buren
George A. McCauley, pastor.

9:30 a. m., Bible School. Charles Harmon, supt

10:45 a. m., Morning worship service. Special instrumental music by Len Bartholomee of Rockford. Message by Rev. Raymond Pritz of Waterloo, Iowa.

3 p. m., Youth Rally. Music by the United Fellowship Choir under the direction of Miss Jean Hitchcock, instrumental numbers by Len Bartholomee and vocal solo by Ray Pritz. Message by Rev. Pritz.

7:30 p. m., Evening evangelistic service. Final service of the three-day Youth Rally. Special instrumental and vocal numbers and closing message by Rev. Ray Pritz

Wednesday 7:30 p. m., Mid-week service of prayer and Bible study.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Second St. and Hennepin Ave.
George J. Curran, pastor.

9:30 a. m., Bible School.

10:45 a. m., Worship and sermon. Sermon theme, "Going to Jerusalem." Anthem, "Lord God of Hosts."

6 to 8 p. m., Youth Leagues. Lunch, recreation and devotions.

Monday—6.30 p. m., Fathers and Sons banquet.

Wednesday—3:45 p. m., Children of the Church. A moving picture, to which all children are invited. 4:30 p. m., Junior Choir rehearsal. 7:30 p. m., Ash Wednesday Lenten service. 8:30 p. m., Choir rehearsal. 8:30 p. m., Loyal Social meeting.

Thursday—2:30 p. m., Aid meeting at the church.

Friday—2 p. m., World Day of Prayer service in this church, participated in by all churches of Dixon community. Speaker will be Jacob Quiambao, a native Filipino, who survived the "death march" when the Japanese moved in.

Saturday—1 p. m., Confirmation instruction.

The Union Choirs for the downtown churches Palm Sunday service will have special rehearsals Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church. The men will meet at 2:30 and the ladies at 3:30 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Nachusa
Luther H. Cooperrider, pastor.

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Sunday School.

10:40 a. m., The service. Message will be brought by the sound film, "Answer for Anne."

Wednesday—7:00 p. m., Mid-week Lenten service. 7.50 p. m., Choir.

Thursday, 8.00 p. m. Basketball game with St. Paul's, Dixon.

Friday—2:00 p. m., World Day of Prayer service at St. Paul's, Dixon.

Saturday—9.00 a. m., Catechetical class. 10:15 a. m., Children of the church.

GRACE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN
Ottawa avenue at Fellows street.
Parke O. Bailey, pastor.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 10.45.

Junior F. Y. Y., 6:30 p. m.

Senior Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p. m.

Evening music and worship hour at 7:45

Boy Scouts Monday, 7:00 p. m.

The Rock River Youth Fellowship will be held at Red Oak church March 1, 7:30 p. m.

The Willing Workers class will meet at the Burgard home Tuesday, March 1, 8.00 p. m.

The Bible classes meet Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., and the prayer hour.

Choir practice Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

The Church Council of Administration will meet Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

The World Day of Prayer Friday, March 4, 2:00 p. m., to be held at the St. Paul's Lutheran church.

A sacred concert will be given by the United Fellowship choir Saturday, March 5, 8:00 p. m., at the Loveland Community House.

AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION—Grand Detour

Sunday morning service, 10:00 a. m. Principal speaker, Miss Lois V. Gregory, director of Week-day Religious Education in northern Illinois.

Sunday evening — Missionary Rally service conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorell and E. C. Goerlitz.

Music by Mrs Ford Bergetrom and String Band of First Mission Covenant church of Rockford.

Services sponsored by American Sunday School Union. Mr. Warren M. Cleveland, general missionary for northern Illinois, will be present

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Hennepin and Second
H. E. Trimble, pastor.

Bible School at 9:30. Wm. Nettz, superintendent

Divine worship and the Lord's Supper at 10:30 a. m. The anthem will be "Like as a Father." The sermon theme, "The Discipline of Love."

The official board will meet in the parlors of the church Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Women's Missionary Council will meet for the regular monthly meeting and a Silver Tea, in the parlors of the church Sunday afternoon at 3:00.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the church Wednesday for an all-day meeting, with a scramble dinner at noon.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

The Junior choir will meet Friday afternoon at 4.00.

FIRST BAPTIST
Dr. J. H. Hughes, pastor.

Unified service which begins at 9:30 a. m., with the teaching period under the direction of Ansel Youngblood. Classes are graded to suit all ages and groups. The morning worship and sermon is at 10:15. Special music by two vested choirs and the pastor will preach on: "Life Made Over Again." There is no evening service but Dr Hughes always preaches on Wednesday evening. The public is cordially invited.

BETHEL UNITED EVANGELICAL
N. Galena avenue and Morgan street
Fred Cunningham, pastor
Sunday School at 9:45. Frank Norvel, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45 Pastor's sermon topic will be the second in the series of "Saints In Wrong Places."

Christian Endeavor Societies meet at 6.45 o'clock.

Sunday evening gospel musicale. Rev. O. G. Lewis will paint a picture illustrating a gospel hymn and he will sing the hymn while painting the picture. Other music will be furnished by local musicians.

Christian Crusader's club will meet at the regular times on Tuesday.

Mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Friday evening the latest production of the Protestant Film Commission, "My Name is Han," will be shown at 8:00 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
321 West Second street.

Sunday morning service, 11 a. m. Subject of lesson-sermon, "Christ Jesus"

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening service, 8 p. m.

Reading room at the church open daily except Sundays and holidays from 2 to 4, and open Wednesdays, 7 to 7.45 p. m.

Christian Science broadcasts. Saturday, 5:15 p. m., WROK Sunday, 8 15 a. m., WJJD

CHURCH OF GOD
221 W. Morgan street
James M. Watkins, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45.

Sermon at 11 o'clock.

Sunlite Bible class Wednesday afternoon at 3:30

Berean Bible class Wednesday evening at 7.15.

Truth-Seekers Bible class of the Air over Station WAIT Sunday at 8.15 a. m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
521 Highland avenue
C. L. Wagner pastor.

Sunday School at 9.45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor

Mid-week Lenten service, Wednesday, at 7.30 p. m. Adult Membership class following the service.

The Wartburg League meets Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid Society meets Thursday at 2.00 p. m. Mrs C. L. Wagner will lead in the discussion of the topic: "The Lutheran Church in China."

The Young Woman's Missionary Society will meet Thursday evening, 7:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Louis Saizman, 608 E. Chamberlin street. Miss Grace Jacobs will lead in the discussion of the topic, "The Lutheran Church in China."

There will be no Catechism class Saturday, March 5th.

All the ladies of the congregation are urged to attend the "World Day of Prayer" Friday, March 4th, at the St. Paul Lutheran church.

DIXON STATE HOSPITAL

Services at 1:45 p. m. in charge of the Rev. Mr Salter, pastor of the Second Baptist church

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Pastor's catechism class at 8:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 9.15 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

Sunday School at 10:15 a. m.

Mid-week Lenten services. Thursday at 7.30 p. m. Adult membership class immediately following the evening service.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Madison avenue at Third street.

10.00 a. m. Sunday School Galen Myers, supt.

11:00 a. m., Worship service. Guest speaker, Desmond W. Bittinger, editor of the Gospel Messenger, of Elgin, Ill. Special music by Senior choir.

6:30 p. m., C. B. Y. F.

7:15 p. m. Organ meditation.

7.30 p. m. Evening worship service. Sermon by Rev. Bittinger

Tuesday—7:30 p. m. Board of Administration, home of Mr and Mrs Galen Myers, 916 Third street.

Wednesday—1.00 p. m., Ladies' Aid Society. 7:30 p. m., Senior choir practice.

Thursday—C. & S. club, Mrs. Galen Myers, hostess.

Friday—2:00 p. m., World Day of Prayer, St. Paul's Lutheran church. 3:45 p. m., Junior choir practice. 7.00 p. m., Crusader class, church parlors.

Annual birthday banquet, Thursday, March 10th.

SECOND BAPTIST
605 Madison Ave.
Rev. C. Salter, pastor.
Winston McReynolds, clerk.

Church School, 9.45 a. m. J. A. Morrison, supt.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by pastor.

Evening service, 7.30 p. m. Sermon by pastor.

ST. JAMES
Rev. R. R. Heidenreich, pastor.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning services, 10:45 a. m. Communion.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs Fred Odenthal Wednesday.

FIRST METHODIST
Second stret at Peoria avenue.
Aura C. Nesmith, minister.

Church School, 9:30. Classes for all.

Morning worship, 10:45. "Laymen's Sunday Service." Mr A. E. Marth, charge lay leader, presiding. Speakers: "The Church of Yesterday," C. C. Hintz; "The Church of Today," Paul Armstrong; "The Church of Tomorrow," Robert Swaney.

There will be no Methodist Youth Fellowship meeting on account of the mid-winter institute

Fellowship Group Wednesday, at Walnut, Ill 7:30, at the parsonage

World Day of Prayer service, Friday, March 4th, at 2:00, at St. Paul's Lutheran church

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
B. B. Cartwright, Jr., minister.

9:30 a. m., Church School Supt., Mrs. Earl Bennyhoff.

10:45 a. m., Morning worship service. Sermon, "Selling One's Birthright."

5.00 p. m. Junior High Westminster Fellowship.

6:00 p. m., Senior High Westminster Fellowship.

Wednesday—7:30, Ash Wednesday service.

Thursday—8:00 p. m., Group II will meet with Mrs. C. A. Mellott. Group III will meet with Mrs. Paul Potts. 7:30 p. m. Deacons' meeting at the church.

Friday—2:00 p. m., World Day of Prayer service at St. Paul's Lutheran church, for women of all churches.

Saturday—Junior choir rehearsal 11:00, pastor's catechism class.

ST ANNE'S CATHOLIC
N. Dement and Morgan Streets
Rev. R. L. French, pastor

Quinquagesima Sunday, sermon "The Blind Man at Jericho."

Sunday Masses at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

Daily mass at 7:30 a. m.

Adult religious instruction at 2 p. m., every Sunday.

Children's religious instruction every Saturday at 1.30 p. m.

Wednesday, March 2nd, is Ash Wednesday, ashes blessed and distributed at morning mass at 7.30 p. m., and in the evening at 7:30 p. m., distribution of ashes, rosary and benediction, sermon: "The Wells of Sorrow."

★ WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

Four Gospels Give Best Story of Jesus

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

Our knowledge of Jesus is limited insofar as many details are concerned, but it is exact and adequate in all that is essential.

What the four Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John have given to the world is the pen portrait and story of a Saviour. The Gospel writers were not concerned with the thousand and one details that enter into ordinary biographies. Such detail often appeals more to idle curiosity than to the quest of the real greatness of the one whom they profess to honor.

The Gospels at times and in places seem bare in relation to matters with which our passing fancy might be concerned—how Jesus looked, what He wore, what were His daily habits. But that very bareness brings out so vividly and clearly the Master as the disciples knew Him, as they were led to exclaim, "My Lord, and my God," that we may well believe that God's providence was in the provision that our knowledge of Jesus was not to be through massive volumes but through the simple, vivid pages of Gospels that we can read within the space of a few hours.

One cannot too strongly stress this fact. It is no disparagement of preachers, teachers, or of commentators like myself, to say that he who would know Jesus must go first of all to the original sources in the four Gospels. Nothing can compensate for lack of knowledge of the Gospel pages. Nor is it sufficient to know only one of the four, for each in its way adds something to the story that would otherwise have been lacking.

Simplest, and most direct, is the Gospel of Mark. Here is the story of Jesus in its most concentrated form.

But if we had only the Gospel of Mark, we should lack the glory of what has given to the world its blessed Christmases. There would be no word about the mother and the babe, no picture of devout souls longingly awaiting the coming of a Messiah, and finding Him, or of Wise Men and shepherds, hailing in a new-born babe a future King and Saviour. We should lack even Luke's simple record of the boy, growing into manhood in a normal life, and we should lack Luke's great stories of the Prodigal Son and the Good Samaritan.

So, we must read the Gospels, again and again, and we must read all of them. The Gospel of John, very different from the first three, adds greatly to our knowledge of Jesus, emphasizing more fully and clearly the the fact of the divine life and power manifest in the earthly life.

Here in the Gospel of John, also, are recorded the rich discourses of Jesus and His disciples as He neared the cross, revealing the ground and hope of immortality, and the depth of that mystical communion of souls that have found the reality of love (John 14:23).

Methodists Observe Laymen's Day Sunday

Henry V. Loeppert, 1440 W. Lake St., Chicago, lay leader of the Rock River Conference of The Methodist Church, has announced that Laymen's Day will be observed Sunday, Feb. 27, in many Methodist churches in Chicago and northern Illinois.

Authorized by the denomination's General Conference, Laymen's Day is annually observed on the fourth Sunday in February. It is estimated that well over 100,000 Methodist laymen took active part in last year's Laymen's Day services across the nation and an even wider observance of the day is anticipated this year.

In many churches outstanding laymen will deliver the sermon and take full charge of the service. In other churches, laymen will assist their minister in conducting the service by reading the Scriptures, offering prayer, providing special music, or otherwise sharing in the worship hour.

General theme for the observance is "I am a Methodist". Resource materials on this subject, prepared by a prominent Dayton, Ohio, layman—Rr. Frank D. Slutz—have been distributed by the General Board of Lay Activities in Chicago to all lay leaders of the denomination's 21,826 pastoral charges.

In a message sent to lay leaders, board officials express the hope that "this great collective enterprise engaging the attention of so many thousands of our laymen may contribute inspiration and renewal of faith among our people."

Mt. Morris Church to Have Guest Speakers

Mt. Morris — Rev. and Mrs. Gladden Mathis, of Bethany Seminary, Chicago, will be the guest speakers at the Church of the Brethren Sunday, Feb. 27. Rev. Mathis is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Jefferson Mathis of North Manchester, Ind., and will give the address on Sunday morning at the 10:00 a.m. worship hour.

Mrs Mathis will speak and show pictures to the children in the basement at 10.30, then at the evening service they will show pictures to the Intermediate group at 6.30.

Rev. and Mrs Mathis recently returned from Castaner, Puerto Rico, where they were working for over two years with the Brethren Service unit, which carried on work in the area on medical, public health and community service.

Rev. and Mrs. Mathis will again appear at the evening service at 7.30 p.m. and will show different pictures from those shown earlier in the day.

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News and Briefs of Polo and Vicinity

HONOR BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Wolfensberger, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schildt and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Alberts and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Raymond Glotfelty home at Mt. Morris honoring Teddy Glotfelty who was observing his 12th birthday.

PHILATHEA CLASS MEETS

The Philathea class of the Evangelical U. B. church met at the Church Tuesday evening for the annual dinner at which the families were guests. There were more than 40 present.

Following the dinner, the business meeting and program was held. The program consisted of motion pictures presented by James Mallory, a musical reading by Mrs. Annetta Barnes, instrumental numbers by Joan Ryan and vocal selections by Harold Sterenberg.

HAS BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Shank entertained their son, Robert and his wife, of Chicago, over the weekend. Saturday evening dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shank and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. George Shanks and Melvin Shank. The dinner was in honor of the hostess' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Naylon returned Saturday from a two weeks vacation spent with the latter's brother, Raephael Rubendall and family at Mississippi City, Miss.

MRS. SMITH HOSTESS

Mrs. Robert Smith was hostess to the Dorcas class of the Evangelical U. B. Sunday school Monday evening.

Mrs. B. A. Muench presided. Mrs. Willard Gilbert read a paper on Abraham Lincoln that had been prepared by Miss Dorothy Bowers who was unable to be present. Miss Mary Ginders gave a talk on George Washington and Mrs. Albert Summers gave the class history. Bobbie Smith favored the group with some instrumental numbers.

The group also enjoyed a valentine exchange.

THE WHITES ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Mack White entertained at a dinner Sunday, honoring their son, Ronald, who was observing his 14th birthday. Sherman Krump, Rock Falls, was also honored as his birthday occurs in February.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Summers, Barbara and Melvin, Mt. Morris; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Krump, Patricia and Steven, Rock Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose and Lloyd and Mrs. Urilla Rose, Winnebago.

Polo Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers, Polo, Clarence Harding and son, Richard, of Byron, were guests in the home of Mrs. Mabel Snyder Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kesselring and son, Richard, Dixon were Sunday guests in the Snyder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Obendorf and Kenneth, Mrs. Imogene Cook and Carolyn were dinner guests in the LeRoy Woessner home near Sterling Sunday. In the afternoon they visited Henry Hillerns in Sterling. He recently returned home from the hospital.

James Gardner who spent the past several weeks in Omaha, Neb., returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Lynn Read and son, Steven, Oregon, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kline.

The Christian Question class of St. Mark's Lutheran church enjoyed a skating party at the Pines rink Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johann visited their daughter, Mrs. Robert Shilling, near Milledgeville, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schmidt and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Fred Krum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Varnes, Milwaukee, Wis., were weekend guests in the Robert D. Johnson home on West Locust street. The boys were war buddies and had a very enjoyable weekend together.

Frank Hartner, Lansing, Mich., came Friday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers.

Mrs. Orville Hartner and daughter, Norma, were Sunday evening visitors in the Earl Avey home at Mt. Morris. Mrs. Avey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paul, Lanark, were also guests.

D. B. Martin, Mrs. Elizabeth Gayman and Mrs. Max Plum were Dixon visitors Monday.

The Community club of the Buffalo Grove school will have a Washington party at the school Friday evening. The program will be presented by the pupils assisted by Mrs. Pauline Grant. E. P. Powell will also present a group of motion pictures.

Mrs. Ralph Motter and daughter, Dorothy, returned Sunday from Rochester, Minn., where Dorothy had gone through the Mayo clinic.

Mrs. William Johann, Betty and Dick, were Dixon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Fredericks and family, of Coleta, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Kuhlemier, Shannon, and Miss Irene Bousum, Rockford, were Sunday guests in the Carl Bousum home.

Ralph Moats, of Sterling, was a Sunday guest in the W. E. Stackpole home.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gates of Chicago were weekend guests in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Neaman Spencer entertained the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer of Coleta at dinner on Sunday.

Mrs. Lucinda Doty who has been a medical patient at the Dixon Public hospital, following a fall at her home at which time she fractured her hip, returned home Tuesday. She is being cared for by her niece Mrs. Henley.

Mrs. Fannie Brenner fell on the stairs at her home on East Mason street Monday afternoon and incurred a fractured hip. She was taken to the Dixon Public hospital.

Boy Decapitated by Dad's Boat Propeller

San Francisco, Feb. 25—(AP)—A desperate father lifted his three-year-old son out of San Francisco bay barely enough to touch the hands of the child's mother on a fishing craft yesterday.

But she couldn't hold the small wet hands. The child, Martin Newell, slipped back into the bay. He was decapitated by the propeller of a Coast Guard craft coming to the rescue.

The father, Jack Newell, of nearby El Cerrito, had dived fully clothed into the bay after Martin when he slipped from the deck of the fishing boat. The Coast Guard vessel rescued Jack Newell.

Honnegar Feed Mill at Fairbury, Burns

Fairbury, Ill., Feb. 25—(AP)—A fire destroyed the six-story frame building of the Honnegar Feed Mill here last night.

Frank Honnegar, one of the owners, estimated loss of the building, machinery and supplies at from $150,000 to $200,000.

The University of Caen, in Normandy, France, ranks as the third oldest English university. It was founded by Henry VI of England, then conqueror of that part of France.

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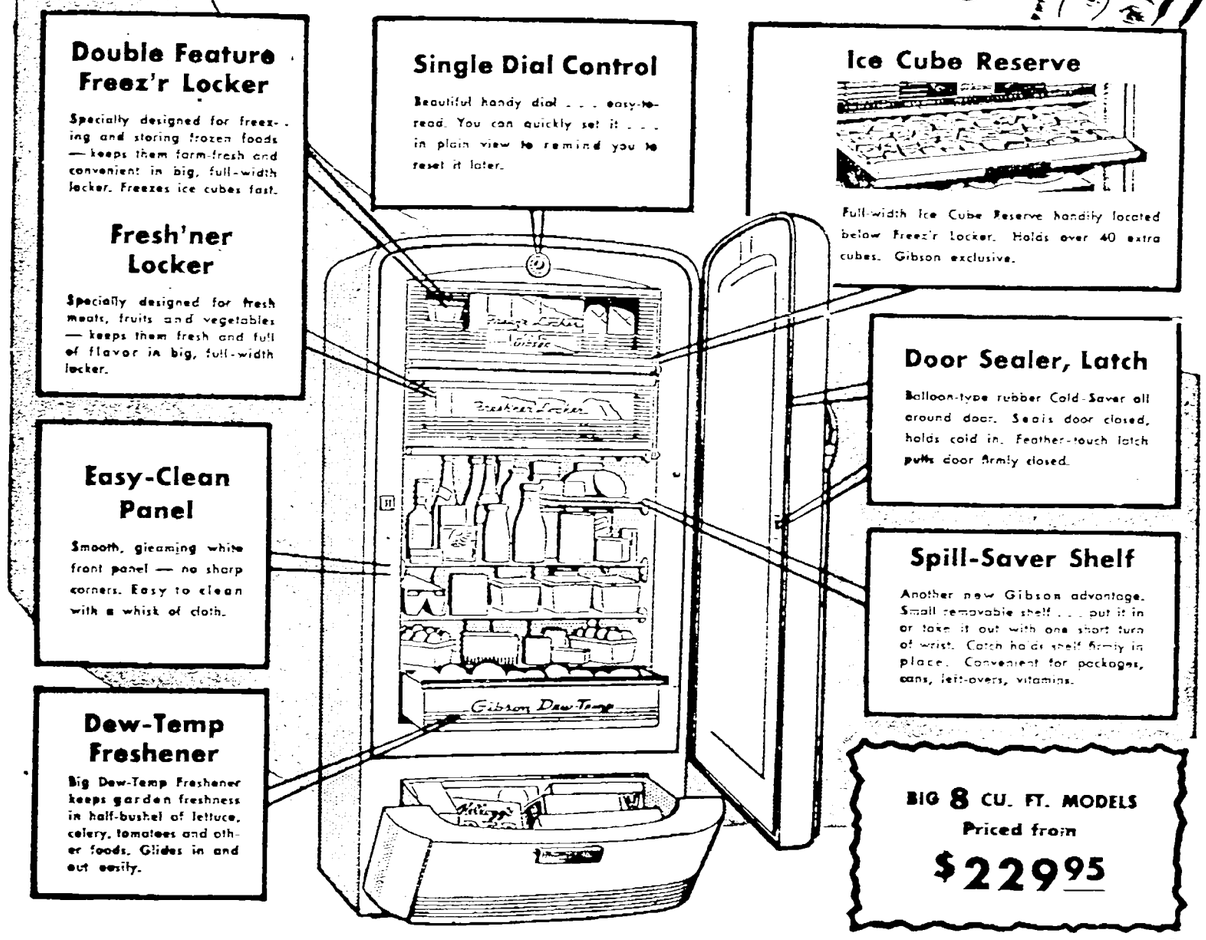

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Russia Passes a Milestone in An Effort to Match Us Industrially

The Russians may not yet have developed an atomic bomb. But it is certain that they have the secret of at least one recent product of American industrial genius. Moscow has proudly and publicly announced as much.

Just what use the Soviets will make of this weapon remains to be seen. The possibilities are enormous, for it is a versatile instrument. Although Americans have not tested it in actual war, it has already proved itself remarkably adaptable.

It is not only amphibious but submersible. It operates as well in water as on land—some think even better.

It can be used by one man, and it has proved its effectiveness against superior numbers when thus employed. One of the developers of this instrument proved that point under simulated combat conditions. Armed with no other weapon, he was able to dispel hostile military forces who were on the verge of closing in on him and preventing his escape from an airfield in China.

The instrument also has some surpising psychological properties of a non-military nature. American tests prove conclusively that it is effective in raising substantial sums of private revenue. Once the mass mind has been conditioned to admit its novelty, desirability and necessity, it has been possible to raise funds by selling it at what might usually be considered an exorbitant price. The Russians will probably be able to employ much the same technique, even under a different economic system to swell their public treasury.

It may even be that the Soviets will be able to make diplomatic use of this instrument. By exploiting and developing its somewhat deceptive characteristics, they may find it valuable in drafting treaties that can be broken without too obvious a national dishonor.

Perhaps these conjectures seem pessimistic. But we may as well face reality and adjust our future accordingly. We can no longer sit back with smug confidence in our monopoly. For the sober fact of the matter is this:

Russia now has the ball-point pen.

Radio Cant' Fill the News Gap

A printers strike which closed Buenos Aires newspapers has proved again that seeing is believing. Radio stations increased their news programs in an effort to fill the gap, but this did not keep down a wild crop of rumors that sprang up immediately.

The government had closed the papers to conceal from the people what the constituent assembly was doing in rewriting the country's constitution. A general strike was about to be called. Milk supplies would be cut off. The price of gasoline was going to be doubled. These and similar stories swept the city. New rumors followed old, in spite of investigations and denials.

All this is not a new phenomenon. Almost everyone, it seems, seeks confirmation in the printed word of what is heard.

This is indicative, we should say, that the press has earned a firm reputation for general reliability that has not been threatened by newer, faster means of communication. This seems to be true even in Buenos Aires where, with a couple of notable and noble exceptions, the press has surrendered its independence to the dictator as a price for its existence.

The happenings in Argentina also emphasize a function of the press that is often overlooked—its importance in combating fear and confusion and panic, in preserving a calm and orderly social existence.

It is naturally satisfying to the newspaper profession to be reassured by the above incidents of the need and importance of the press. But it is not a complacent satisfaction. Rather, it is one that quickens the sense of responsibility that must accompany importance.

Jordan

★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

Bursitis Is Painful But Responds to Treatment

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Near most of the movable joints of the body are small pockets lined by delicate tissue which are called bursas. Typical bursas are those above the knees, and around the elbows and shoulders.

The most common cause of inflammation or bursitis is a single severe injury or small repeated injuries. Kneeling for a long time may affect a bursa just above the knee. In "tennis elbow" a bursa around the elbow is involved.

Bursitis can come on suddenly and in such cases the involved cavity is likely to be swollen and to contain a fluid, the nature of which depends on the cause. Acute or subacute bursitis brings tenderness and pain. In the more chronic conditions in which the fluid develops gradually and lasts for a long time, discomfort may be entirely absent. Diagnosis is not always easy.

Cause Sets Treatment

The treatment of an inflamed bursa depends partly on the cause and partly on the acuteness of the inflammation. In the more acute conditions, complete rest by means of a splint, bandage, or cast is generally advised. In those cases in which the swelling is great and the pressure causes considerable pain, the physician may have to remove some of the excess fluid. Since the fluid may return, such removal is likely to have to be repeated several times. Hot wet bandages may bring relief and heat in the form of diathermy is frequently extremely helpful. Deep X-ray treatments have also been used in some cases with success.

Some cases of the chronic bursitis are resistant to all these forms of treatment. Injection of a local anesthetic into the bursa itself is often useful but may not bring lasting effects. The injection of some irritating fluid called a sclerosing solution has been reported to be useful occasionally. In the most resistant cases an operation involving removal of the entire lining of the bursa may have to be employed, but this is more or less of a last resort. Fortunately, however, most patients with bursitis improve with the more simple treatments.

Doctor Answers

BY EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

QUESTION: My daughter has a blemish under her eye which looks like a broken blood vessel. It started the size of a pin hole and is now about a quarter of an inch wide.

ANSWER: Diagnosis of exactly what is wrong should be made as it might be dangerous to leave such a condition without treatment. Just what it is cannot be told except by personal examination.

Millett

★ WE THE WOMEN

By RUTH MILLETT

If you want your home to be a happy place, watch out for these things:

One. Habitual complaining by any member of the family. One person who is always "down in the mouth" can make a whole household a depressing place.

Two. A too-critical attitude toward outsiders. A home is never a relaxed and carefree place unless its members are more ready to approve than to disapprove of outsiders.

Three. A sharpness and impatience between members of the family, which can quickly grow to be so much a habit that sharp answers are given almost automatically.

THE WISHERS

Four. Never being satisfied with things as they are, always wishing things were different, instead of stopping once in a while to realize how really good life is—right at the present moment.

Five. Harping on the unpleasant little incidents of the day, instead of solving each one as it comes along and then forgetting it—or turning it into a funny story.

Six. Trying to reform each other. It never works and it often leads to bitterness and quarrels.

Seven. Saving the best of everything for company—the best conversation, the best manners, the deepest laughter—instead of giving it to the family.

Eight. Letting each day be like every other—instead of contriving to give some highlights to everyday living.

• SO THEY SAY

We have not manufactured an atomic power plant for aircraft yet, and no one should expect to see an atomic-powered rocket taking off for the moon this year—or next.

—Andrew Kahtinsky, Oak Ridge, Tenn., scientist

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What makes a honeymoon a honeymoon is not expensive hotels or a shiny new roadster, or a breath-taking trousseau. What makes a honeymoon is a deep feeling of love in the hearts of two people who swim, read, hear the wood thrush at dusk, walk down a country road as they establish a more intimate pattern of togetherness.

—Dr. F. Alexander Magoun, Washington marriage counselor, in his book, "Love and Marriage."

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The Russians watch us so closely. They taunt us with incidents, saying, "Do you call this democracy?" . . . If we can prove democracy really preserves the ends all people aspire to, we will have won our fight.

—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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BY HAL COCHRAN

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Northerners don't envy racetrack fans down south who are going crazy with the heats.

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Some men tell where they've really been and take home a bonquet of flowers besides.

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A college professor says some modern girls are like cave women. Aw don't judge em by their clothes, professor!

WORKING WOMAN'S DAY

The average working woman, according to a survey made by the Y.W.C.A., spends 7¾ hours in sleep, 1 hour 22 minutes in personal care, 1 hour 47 minutes eating, 7 hours 12 minutes in work, 1 hour 29 minutes in transportation, and 4 hours 16 minutes in leisure.

By

Westbrook Pegler

Unemployment insurance violates the spirit of the constitution.

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Tom Dewey certainly was on solid ground when he dared any old-fashioned Republican to go out and try to get elected in any typical community" on a platform rejecting social security generally, and "vigorous protection of the rights of labor."

Westbrook Pegler

The old-fashioned Republican would be massacred. But he would go down a Republican.

Governor Dewey often has said that the most important thing in politics is to get elected. But when he puts himself up for president of the United States a man ought to run under his true colors, and we now learn by his own admission that Tom Dewey isn't a Republican at all.

When he challenged any real Republican to try to get elected in any "typical American community" on a platform excluding all the European socialistic and nazi-fascists enticements to the greed and weakness of any people, he really said the typical Americans had no intelligent interest in the kind of government guaranteed them by their constitution. I think he is right, but I am not going to say it is a good thing for the United States.

Jobless Insurance

Unemployment insurance violates the spirit of that constitution. There is nothing in the text that could possibly be construed to mean that the authors intended that a man out of work, for any reason, should be paid money out of the public treasury even by a fictitious "insurance" fund. Such a fund cannot be profitably "invested" in competition with private capital. In dead storage it is a liability. So it is spent for going expenses and is a minus quantity. The constitution had no intention to let the ne'er-do-wells rest on the dole when they were "out of work." Under that system, a farmer would have drawn a dole for the months when he had nothing to do but yawn and put sticks in the fire. The trapper would have been on the dole most of the year.

The founding fathers knew human nature and they knew, as we soon learned when we tried unemployment insurance, that the steadiest clients would be the shiftless people, the loafers and whiners. In the experiments which we have tried, these apprehensions were quickly verified. In New York, La Guardia and Marcantonio colonized thousands and thousands of misfits whom they enticed or positively imported from elsewhere. They provided bright, alert political agents to full out the forms and qualify these unemployables for the dole and home reliefs. The cost of the public has been so great that nobody can see a way out. The best that any honest believer can hope for is an indefinite postponement of the reckoning. The "social security" money is spent as fast as it comes in. There is no "fund."

You'd Be Licked

Certainly any true Republican who proposed the abolition of such lures would be licked. But this nation was founded to be a republic, not a democracy. Under a Republican system you frankly assume that the people have not sense enough to resist the temptation of ruinous counsel and you do not let them vote on propositions which may be paraphrased as: "Do you want $1,000 free out of the public treasury? Yes—. No—"

Under the Republican system you only let them vote for public officials, including legislators, who are presumed to be more intelligent and honest than the average run of voters. And you leave it to them to decide what to do with public money and how to raise it, trusting them to stay inside the constitution in all their decisions.

I think it is too late now to break the American people abruptly of the habit of looking to the government for everything. Mr. Dewey has got the best of me there. But he isn't a Republican. He is a new dealer, a socialist, like Roosevelt and his party. A Republican wouldn't endorse these European follies and ask for more.

Jobless Dole Again

Under the unemployment dole, the unions controlling fifteen million of our best jobs, have the power, enacted into federal law, to call out all those ten or fifteen million people on strike and tap the various treasuries for the dole for the whole army of them. When they called out the auto workers for 100 days and simultaneously struck the steel industry, the unemployment soon backed up into the tributary lines of work. Tires, glass, gears, bearings, chemicals, wood, oil, coal. All the things that go into steel and automobiles. And in times of normal commerce the unemployment would have gone forward from the steel mills and automobile plants to affect the white collar and service peoples, all eligible for a public dole because two men, Walter Reuther, of the auto workers, and Philip Murray, of the steel workrs, for reasons of internal union politics, decided they must make these enormous strikes. A few men could break the state unemployment systems by arbitrary union action, at will.

Those strikes come under the heading of "vigorous protection of the rights of labor," which Mr. Dewey would write into the credo of his imitation new deal. In 1944 he gave the Wagner bill his only by the publicauaaspint..l unqualified endorsement. And only by the powers conferred through that act were Reuther and Murray enabled to pull those strikes.

All those things which Dewey lumps under the title of "social security generally" calls for check-off detentions of money which individual American citizens have earned. Some of them nowadays never see large portions of their wages which are stopped before the money gets to the pay window and sliced into various funds. Social security, unemployment insurance, union dues, fees and assessments, withholding tax. What next?

Check Off System

Our people never gave their government the right to check off any percentage of their earnings. Congress and the legislatures just did it. That money belongs to them, absolutely, as earned. Except in the case of garnishee on judgment no part of it may be legally snatched. But the new deal saw the unions getting away with it, so Roosevelt tried it with a small grab for social security and he got away with that. Now the unions are proposing that the government raise its grab to eight or ten per cent for medical service, old age pensions and all those things which Mr. Dewey calls "social security generally."

Why not take it all and let "the government" provide the quarters, the rations and standardized clothing, the standardized education and the consolations of a state religion and relieve the "typical American" of all the petty responsibilities and liberties of life in the total-security state? If the legislative branch can decide how a man must spend the first ten per cent of his wages why not 100 per cent?

Walton

Walton—Peter Blume and Raphael Fenwick spent Friday in Moline on business.

Mrs. Will Fitzpatrick attended the C. D. of A card party in Ohio last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCoy were dinner and supper guests Sunday at the Lloyd Boehlke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Muldoon of Rockford spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Muldoon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Morrisey.

Miss Josephine and Elizabeth Halligan were callers Monday at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lullus Fenwick and family and Miss Catherine Morrissey were callers in Amboy Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Dunphy and son and Patrick Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrissey, Mrs. John Fielding, Miss Josephine and Elizabeth Halligan and Anna J. McCoy were shoppers in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Louise Bushman of Amboy and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lilly of Sublette spent Sunday with relatives in this vicinity.

A number from this vicinity attended the dance in Harmon last week.

Miss Greta and Joan Hecker spent the week-end at the Otto Hecker home.

Charles McCoy and John Finn were business callers in Dixon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glade Lower and daughter, Mary Lou of Walnut, spent the week end at the E. W. Morrisey and Leo Bushman homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sharkey of Dixon were callers in this vicinity Sunday.

James Morrissey and James Dunphy spent Monday night in Dixon.

Miss Rose O'Hare, who is employed in Dixon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Hare.

A number from this vicinity attended the dance held in Saint Patrick's hall in Amboy Sunday evening.

Mrs. P. H. Dunphy and Patrick Blackburn and Anna J. McCoy were callers in Amboy Monday night.

Mrs. Leo McCoy was a caller Sunday at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunphy and daughter, Miranda Catherine, are visiting at the John Savoure home.

Evidence indicates that the caste system — including untouchables — were introduced in India by light-skinned conquerors to maintain racial and ruling supremacy over the dark-skinned tribes and other subjects.

• McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Read the Bidding To Help the Play

BY WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority

We used to tell John Weil, one of New York's outstanding bridge players, that he was the smallest man in the Army. We thought he was at least one and a half inches under the legal height. When he sent us a picture from North Africa with his gun beside him, it looked as if he were leaning against a telegraph post.

I am always interested in finding out what line of business our former service men have taken up. Weil now has a little chain of shoe stores known as the Marc Shops, two of them in Newark, N. J., and one in Palisades Park. He still likes to play tournament bridge and he can always be counted upon to find the correct play, as he did in today's hand.

The king of hearts was opened, and when it held, North shifted to the small spade, declarer winning with the jack. A heart was ruffed in dummy, and now there was a problem.

North: ♠ 9 5 ♥ A K J 5 3 2 ♦ None ♣ K Q 10 9 5

Weil: ♠ A K Q J 8 7 6 ♥ Q 8 7 ♦ A ♣ A 4

East: ♠ 4 3 2 ♥ 10 ♦ Q J 6 5 4 2 ♣ J 6 3

South: ♠ 10 ♥ 9 6 4 ♦ K 10 9 8 7 3 ♣ 8 7 2

Tournament—Neither vul

South	West	North	East
3 ♦	4 ♠	5 ♥	Pass
Pass	Double	Pass	5 ♠

Opening—♥ K

Declarer knew from the bidding that North did not have any diamonds because South would not have bid three diamonds without a six-card suit. Therefore he had to come off the board with a club. Weil led the three of clubs, and when South played the deuce, he put on the ace from his own hand. North dropped the nine-spot. Weil then ruffed his last heart in dummy.

He knew that if South got into the lead, a diamond would come back and it would be ruffed. He realized also from the bidding that North must have the king and queen of clubs, so at this point Weil led dummy's jack of clubs. North won the trick, and there was no play now that would defeat the contract.

If Weil had carelessly led the six of clubs from dummy, South would have played the seven and North would have put on the five-spot to let South hold the trick. Then a diamond lead would have beaten the hand.

Q—Approximately, how many miles does a plane have to climb before it reaches the stratosphere?

A—About six miles, in the middle latitudes. The stratosphere is higher at the equator and lower at the poles.

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Q—What is the special characteristic that determines a rodent?

A—A rodent is a gnawing mammal. Rabbits, beavers, squirrels, and porcupines, as well as mice and rats, are all rodents.

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Q—In reference to the House of Representatives, what is a viva-voce vote?

A—It is a vote taken by roll call and answered orally by each member.

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Q—How did cannel coal get its name?

A—Cannel coal contains much volatile matter and burns with a bright candle-like flame, and it is probable that the name is a corruption of candle-coal. Some scientists believe it is a product of an accumulation of animal as well as plant remains.

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Q—Was Rutherford B. Hayes inaugurated on a Sunday?

A—March 4 1877, fell on a Sunday, so Rutherford B. Hayes was sworn in secretly on March 3 and went through the usual ceremonies March 5. For one day the country had two presidents.

Communists Deny State FEPC Attack

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP)—The Illinois state board of the Communist party yesterday branded as "a pure falsehood" the report of a Communist threat to break up hearings in a state fair employment practices bill.

Sponsors of the FEPC bill two Negro legislators from Chicago, both Democrats, said an unidentified "Communist agitator" made the threat to them in Springfield Tuesday night.

Claude Lightfoot, legislative director of the Illinois Communist party, said no Communist party representatives were in Springfield at the time of the alleged threats.

Voice Of The People

The views expressed in this column are those of our readers and do not necessarily represent those of the editor.

WE'RE OFF AGAIN, FOLKS

To The Editor::

In answer to W. J. L. who has seen fit to go into personalities.

I wish to say that I do not know who W. J. L. is or do I care, but I will say that I am very happy that I do not have to hide behind a set of initials.

And in regards to all the things mentioned by the said W. J. L. I am willing to stand on my record in the community, can W. J. L.?

And as to A. C. Higby holding down three jobs on town, city or county pay roll, I am very happy to say, that I do not hold one full time job, and if W. J. L. can prove otherwise I will be glad to stand convicted.

And furthermore if W. J. L. can prove that I am collecting on any job except that of supervisor it would make me very happy.

And since W. J. L. has not the backbone to sign his name to the article I am unable to contact him for a personal rebuttal of his obvious personal attack on me.

A PERSONAL ATTACK

Obviously all he has to say is a personal attack, and not of general readers interest.

And I find since W. J. L. has not the get up to sign his name, it becomes necessary to defend myself and my condienscious stand by way of this paper.

And I am not making an attack upon any person or persons of the Lee county Health Department, rather I am attempting in an AMERICAN free speech manner to open the eyes of the Lee County Tax Payers to what he is, or isn't getting for his money.

Previously I pointed out the cost of running the health unit, as well as the salaries of the three top jobs, plus the cost, of the one floor office and overhead.

IT'S TOP HEAVY

It has been my contention that the local unit is top heavy and over staffed, and I repeat why have a (SIX TON TRUCK) to take care of a one-half ton load.

I mentioned the three top salaries, and the three top jobs, if W. J. L. did not see that, or the other Tax Payers didn't, then I hope that I have aroused enough interest, that he or they will find out the facts.

Of course we need and endorse a local health unit but I am sure that W. J. L. or any other Lee County Tax payer knew all the facts of the cost, and what they actually do, he would say (I AM SURPRISED) that we are paying so much for this service.

GET FACTS, HE SAYS

Don't take my word for this but get the FACTS, then if I am wrong, I will stand corrected.

In the large cities, slums and large rural areas, etc., there is a great work for a full staffed health department, and they will do a great good, more than money can pay, but in our community I say we are over staffed, in fact, I am willing to wage that the local unit members wish they were in where there is more to do.

And on the incinerator issue, one simply has to take hats off, to our mayor and city council for the careful investigations, trips, and time spent going to other Cities and seeing first hand their methods of garbage disposal, and the result being their agreement on the incinerator method for Dixon, as the most affective, least cost, and healthful.

But I doubt that it will cause enough smoke to hide W. J. L. unless he continues to sign his initials.

DISCUSS THE FACTS

But let's not make this a name calling contest W. J. L. Let's make it a good healthy, lively discussion of the facts, and remove the personalities. But I still say get the facts, then if you still want a seven passenger car for one rider—go ahead its your money.

Signed
A. C. HIGBY

P. S. Thanks W. J. L. for bringing to my attention the two extra jobs that I am supposed to get paid for, and don't let the Incinerator get you down.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Rough-Riding Hollywood Extras Deserve Oscars Too

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

Johnson

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

Hollywood—(NEA)—It's unfair, I think, that a Hollywood extra has never been given an Oscar.

They're like crowds at parades. Without them it wouldn't be a parade. Without extras, it would not be Hollywood.

Ever heard about a movie extra's typical day? It's rough. It really begins the day before, between 4 and 6 p. m. Telephone Central Casting and get the busy signal. Half a dozen calls get you through maybe.

"This is . . . Any calls for tomorrow?"

Many times there are none. "Call again tomorrow," the voice says.

But let's say that Central Casting did give you a call on the seventh dialing.

The voice says: "Yes, M-G-M studio. Street scene clothes. Be on the set at 8 o'clock."

You've got a day's work. You go home to your two-room apartment and whip up some ham and eggs for dinner. If you're a doll, you live with a couple of other would-be Betty Grables and spend the evening washing and putting up your hair. Your roommates have a date but you pass up a chance to join them.

GOTTA LOOK GOOD

You think: "Gotta look good. The director might notice me and give me a couple of lines to speak."

So bachelor or doll you go to bed early and set the alarm for 6 a. m. You live in Hollywood and M-G-M is 10 miles away in Culver City. You don't have a car. You have to catch a street car, transfer to a bus and then transfer to another bus.

You know in advance that your feet will be killing you before you even step on the sets.

The alarm clock rings at 6 a. m. and you take a bow. You're dreaming and you think you've just been introduced to a mob of fans at a Hollywood premiere. The alarm clock keeps ringing and you realize you're only an extra.

You pull on your clothes and yawn over three cups of black coffee and a cinnamon roll. You walk three blocks and wait eight minutes for a street car. It's jammed. You hang on.

SWITCH, SWITCH

You switch to a bus. It's jammed. You hang on. You switch to another bus. It's jammed. You hang on. You walk on the set at M-G-M.

"Now this is easy," director Mervyn LeRoy is saying. "Clark Gables drives down the street, parks his car outside of a building, talks to Lewis Stone for a moment and then goes inside. You kids are passersby. Now let's go. And make it lively."

You pass by. You pass by. You pass by for long shots and close shots and medium shots and six different takes of every shot. You almost pass out. You walk and walk until you could scream.

Six o'clock. You callect a check for $15.56.

"No, no call back for tomorrow," the assisttant director says. Too late to call Central Casting. No work tomorrow.

You walk across the lot to the street and your bus. It's jammed. You hang on. You switch to another bus. It's jammed. You hang on.

You switch to the street car. It's jammed. You hang on. You walk three blocks to your apartment. You take off your shoes and just sit there. You're a movie extra in glam-orous Hollywood.

No billing. No swimming pool, mink-coat or limousine. No fame. No fortune.

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Bruce Bennett annnounced recently he wanted to stick to westerns but he couldn't resist the choice role of Laraine Day's husband in "Twilight." . . . Marie Wilson is the busiest gal in town. Nine "Blackout" shows a week, her radio program and the title role in the film version of "My Friend Irma."

Social Situations

SITUATION: You become acquainted with a much older man who from the start calls you "Jim" and you wonder whether to call him "Robert" or "Mr. Smith."

WRONG WAY: Call him by his first name.

RIGHT WAY: In deference to his age call him "Mr. Smith" unless he asks you to call him by his first name.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all Karen's friends who sent her Valentines, money, gifts, cards and had masses said during Karen's recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCormick
Advtl*

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Robert Lesage and their nurses of KSB hospital for their kindness during my recent illness. Also the First Baptist church for the lovely flowers and my many friends for the lovely cards.

Mrs. W. R. Henson.
Advtl

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to the Franklin Grove Woman's club, China Home Bureau, Girl Scouts of Dixon and all my friends for the lovely cards, flowers, gifts and good wishes that were sent to me while I was a patient at the KSB hospital.

Mrs. Earl R. Buck.
Advtl*

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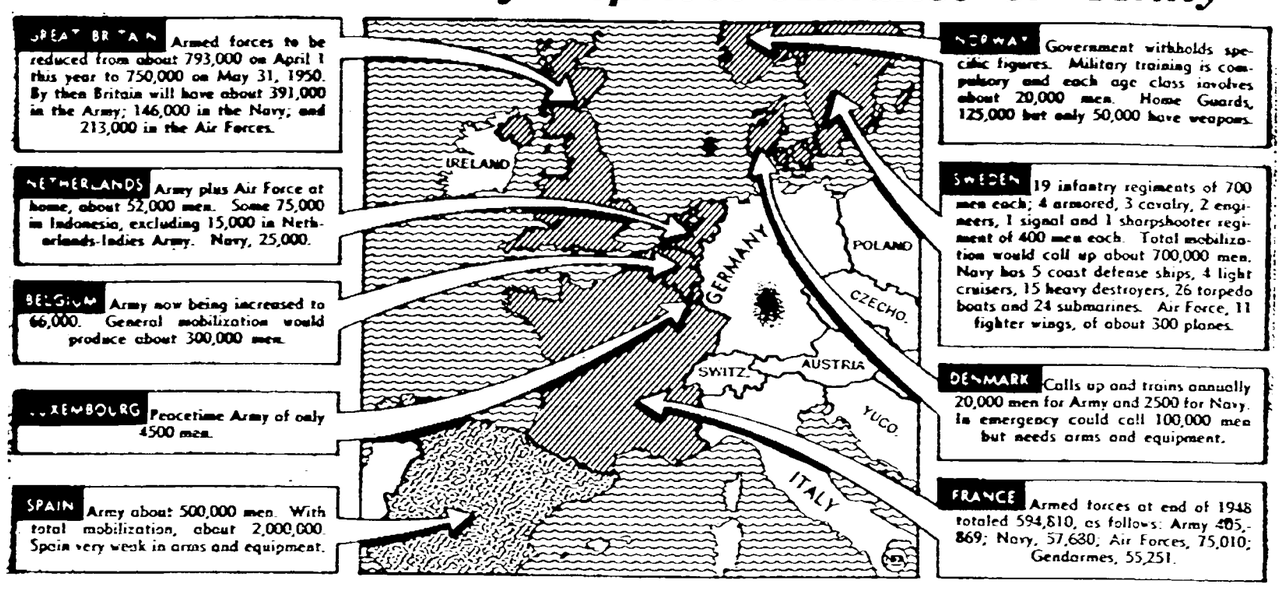
Sweden's Neutrality Deprives Alliance of Army



Sweden's decision not to join the North Atlantic Security Pact deprives the alliance of the best equipped armed forces on the continent west of the Iron Curtain. Her army is one of the best-trained. Her navy has excellent armament, including the most modern Bofors guns. The air force includes first-class, Swedish-built, jet-propelled J-21 planes. In addition, Sweden has an excellent armament industry. Also, the alliance will have to get along without the biggest standing army in western Europe because Spain will not be a member. Sweden is absent by choice but Spain was not invited because of continued feeling in Europe against the Franco regime.

Italians Get Little Help from Recovery Plan

Since April, 1948, the European Recovery Program has poured over $600,000,000 in cash or credit into Italy. Yet, in Rome, scenes like these are common. Thousands of Romans are living from day to day in caves and in city slums. Most of the E. R. P. money goes for the purchase of grain, coal and petroleum to increase Italian industrial production, and little goes to the needy. At left is a typical slum scene, with the children of a jobless Italian sharing the family's only bed with flies and vermin. At right is a cave-dwelling laborer who is luckier than most, since his family has this spot to themselves. Others must share a room with one or two more families. It will take about 10 years to get adequate housing in Rome. (Photos by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Massimo Ascani.)

The Whole World Is Her Oyster

At 5 months, Juanita Evans is believed to be the youngest traveler ever to fly around the world. Her father, Kenneth Evans, is a ceramics engineer in Calcutta, India. With her parents, Juanita paused halfway in her globe-girdling expedition to visit relatives in Cleveland, O. Clutching her suitcase, she examines her route—Calcutta, Bangkok, Manila, Guam, Wake Island, Midway, Honolulu, Los Angeles and thence to Cleveland. The family will return to India via Europe.

Shellacked!

Nicholas Zachariades, above, who replaced Gen. Markos Vafiades as head of Greece's Communist guerrillas, suffered a severe defeat in his first battle with government forces. The rebel radio has said that Markos is "seriously ill." Zachariades, trained in Moscow, has been secretary-general of the Greek Communist Party.

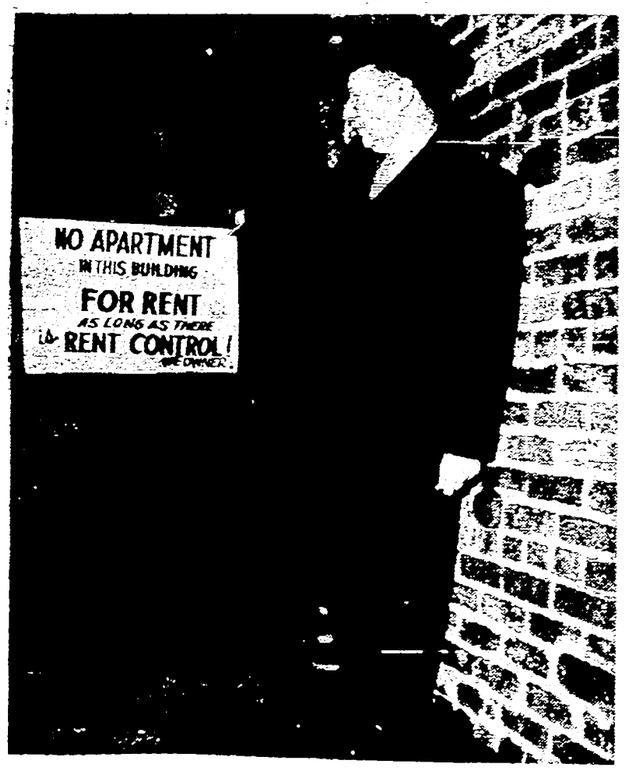
1949 French Apaches

In Paris, American be-bop jive is heard nightly at the swank Carrere's cabaret. Jean Mourier and Marthe Bonnet, both 20-year-old art students, give out with a cross between Apache and be-bop dancing. Note the sneakers both dancers are wearing.

Trapped in a Bank

When the Chinese Nationalist government announced in Shanghai that each Manchurian refugee would be given cash relief of 20,000 gold yuan ($20), a crowd of 5000—including many nonrefugees—jammed the scene. When the distribution was halted, the mob occupied the Central Bank, demanding financial aid. They were locked inside the bank. Some, like those shown here, had to entreat passerbys to buy them food. This man is bringing them some biscuits. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Warren Lee.)

Hits at Rent Controls



Paul Schofield, agent for a Chicago apartment building, tacks up a sign notifying prospective tenants that none of the building's three apartments will be occupied until rent controls are abolished. Schofield's father owns the building. (NEA Telephoto)

Pipe This!

At a Paris auction, a pipe fancier has his hands full trying to decide which of these antique tobacco-burners to buy. He's holding, left to right, pipes described as 18th Century English; 19th Century German student; Oriental copper water; an Austrian and a Venetian.

Educator

Nominated by President Truman for the post of U. S. Commissioner of Education is Dr. Earl J. McGrath, above. Dr. McGrath would succeed Dr. John W. Studebaker, resigned. Now a professor of education at the University of Chicago, Dr. McGrath previously served on the faculties of the universities of Buffalo, Iowa and Minnesota.

A Leak Smeller-Outer

At 62, David Wilson is still agile enough to scamper around the high scaffolding of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's San Francisco plant, smelling out leaks in the natural gas storage tanks. Wilson has been with PG and E for 25 years. When he sniffs or sees or hears a leak, he patches it up. Height doesn't bother him.

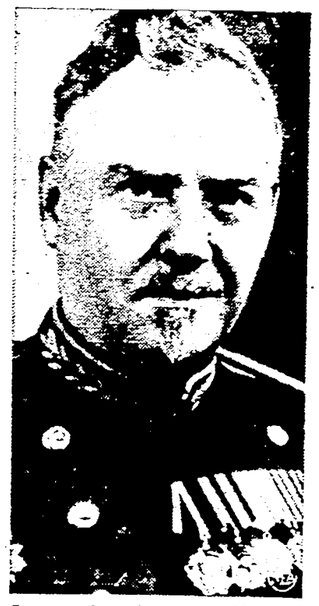
Nags Legislature

In Albany, N. Y., the state legislature is thinking about boosting the state gasoline tax. Charles Hildebrand spent a day driving around the State Capitol, registering his horse-drawn opinion. Charles obviously is opposed to increase. The horse is noncommittal.

Philadelphia Transit Strike Over

CIO Transportation union members raise their hands in vote to end the ten-day strike which crippled public transport in Philadelphia. Meeting was held in Philadelphia's Town Hall.

Ready Red



In an order of the day, Marshal N. A. Bulganin, above, Russia's minister of armed forces, warned Soviet troops to "indefatigably maintain a permanent high quality of combat readiness." Bulganin said this was necessary because the United States was planning to unleash a new war.

--and a Kitchen Sink

Here's the answer for people with a tiny kitchen area. It's a new compact unit, including refrigerator, range, oven, sink, shelves, and drawers all in one piece. It's displayed at the National Association of Home Builders' convention and exposition in Chicago, where Doe Ballu looks it over.

All in the Script

Referee Jack Dempsey draws back a mean looking right as the hooded Golden Terror advances in rules dispute in Atlanta. The Old Man Mauler, who used to put fighters to sleep with gloves, now does the same thing to belligerent wrestlers.

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MARKETS

Markets at a Glance

New York, Feb. 25—(AP)—Stocks — Lower; early rally fades out.

Bonds — Mixed; some rails improve.

Cotton — Irregular; mill buying hedging.

CHICAGO—

Wheat — May very strong; others firm; CCC buying cash wheat.

Corn — May firm; others steady; cash receipts again light.

Oats — Mixed; May firm, others weak.

Soybeans — Steady; aided by grain strength.

Hogs — Active and 25 to 50 cents higher; extreme top 21.75.

Cattle — Steady to 1.00 lower.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open Today	Close Yesterday	Close Year Ago
WHEAT—			
May	2.16	2.15⅞	2.36
July	1.91¾	1.91⅞	2.22
Sep	1.92	1.91¾	2.20
Dec	——	1.93⅝	2.19¼
CORN—			
May	1.30½	1.30⅝	2.16¼
July	1.29¾	1.29¾	2.07
Sep	1.24¾	1.24¾	1.92¾
Dec	1.13⅝	1.13⅝	1.63¾
OATS—			
May	67½	67⅝	1.08⅝
July	59	59⅛	91
Sep	——	58	85½
Dec	59⅛	59¼	84½
RYE—			
May	——	1.29	——
July	——	1.26½	——
SOYBEANS—			
Mar	2.33½	2.34	3.48
May	2.23¾	2.24½	3.41½
July	2.19¾	2.19½	3.35½
LARD—			
Mar	——	12.95	21.25
May	12.90	12.97	21.30
July	12.95	13.02	21.42
Sep	——	13.05	21.55
Oct	——	13.10	——

Chicago Cash Grain

(By The Associated Press)

Wheat: sample grade hard 2.08. Corn: No. 2 yellow 1.38; No. 3 1.33½@⅝; No. 4 1.26¾@31; No. 5 1.23½@26; sample grade 1.18@23½; Oats: No. heavy mixed 77; No. 1 heavy white 77½@78¾; No. 2 heavy white 77c; No. 2 extra heavy white 79; No. 3 heavy white 76½; No. 4 heavy white 77; sample grade heavy white 73¾.

Barley nominal: Malting 1.14@49; feed 88@1.10. Field seed per hundredweight nominal: timothy 17.00@50; sweet clover 15.00@16.00. Soybeans: No. 1 yellow 2.34½ track Chicago.

Wheat closed 1 to 4¼ higher, May 2.19¾@2.20, corn was unchanged to 1⅜ higher, May 1.31½@¾, oats were ¼ lower to ⅞ higher, May 68½@⅝, rye was 1 cent higher, May 1.30, soybeans were ¾@1¾ higher, March 2.33¾@2.34¼, and lard was 18 to 28 cents a hundred pounds lower, March 12.67@12.70.

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New corn	$1.17
$2 No. 2 white oats	.70
No. 2 wheat	2.05
Soybeans	2.11

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Soybean Meal	3.60
Linseed Meal	4.20
Cottonseed Meal	4.10
Bran	2.60
Midds	3.10

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TODAY'S GRAIN TABLE

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP)—

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	2.16	2.20¾	2.15¾	2.19¾
July	1.91¾	1.93⅜	1.91½	1.92¾
Sep	1.92	1.92½	1.91½	1.92¾
Dec	1.93	1.95	1.92¾	1.94½
CORN—				
May	1.30½	1.32⅜	1.29⅞	1.31½
July	1.29¾	1.31	1.29⅛	1.30⅜
Sep	1.24¾	1.25⅝	1.24¼	1.25
Dec	1.14⅜	1.13⅞	1.12½	1.13¼
OATS—				
May	67½	68¾	67½	68½
July	59	59½	58¾	59
Sep	58	58½	57½	57¾
Dec	59⅛	59½	58¾	59
RYE—				
May	1.29½	1.30	1.28½	1.30
July	1.27	1.27½	1.27	1.27½
SOYBEANS—				
Mar	2.33½	2.35½	2.32½	2.33¾
May	2.23¾	2.26¼	2.23	2.25¾
Jdly	2.19¾	2.21¼	2.18	2.20¼
LARD—				
Mar	12.75	12.85	12.67	12.67
May	12.90	12.92	12.70	12.70
July	12.95	12.95	12.80	12.80
Sep	12.90	12.92	12.85	12.85
Oct	13.00	13.00	12.92	12.92

Chicago Livestock

(By The Associated Press)

Salable hogs 7,000; active, mostly 25 cents higher than Thursday's average on weights under 230 lb, heavier weights and sows 25@50 cents up, good and choice 170-230 lb butchers 21.00@21.50, mostly 21.25 up; choice quality hogs under 220 lb practically absent; few choice closely sorted around 200 lb weights at 21.75, extreme top; bulk 240-270 lb 20.00@21.00; most 280-330 lb 19.00@20.00; few choice 300-350 lb sows 18.50@19.25; most 400-500 lb averages 17.00@18.00; 500-600 lb 16.00@17.00; complete early clearance.

Salable cattle 2,000; salable calves 300; slow; most slaughter classes steady to 50 cents lower; bulls 50 cents to 1.00 lower; vealers about steady; several loads medium and good steers 1,200 lb down 21.00@23.75; medium and good heifers 950 lb down 20.00@24.25; load good and choice 997 lb weights 24.25; good cows scarce; common and medium cows 15.75@17.25; canners and cutters 13.50@15.50; mostly 15.00 down late; most medium and good sausage bulls 20.00@22.50; odd head 22.75@23.00; vealers 30.00 down.

Salable sheep 800; slaughter lambs steady to weak; no high-choice offerings here; loadlot top 25.50; few samll lots 25.75; short load heavy lambs unsold; slaughter ewes steady to weak, very scarce, choice lightweights quotable to 13.00; heavies 9.00 down.

Estimated salable livestock receipts tomorrow: 300 hogs, 300 cattle and 100 sheep.

National Stockyards, Ill., Feb. 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 7,000; active; 25 to mostly 50 higher than Thursday's average; bulk good and choice 180-220 lbs 21.50@75; top 21.75; 230-270 lbs 20.00@21.50; 270-325 lbs 19.00@20.25; 140-170 lbs 20.50@21.75; 100-130 lbs 16.50@20.00; good sows 400 lbs down 17.50@18.75; over 400 lbs 15.75@17.25, stags 12.00@14.50.

Cattle 600, calves 400; meager supply of cattle finding sales at generally steady prices in clean-up trade; not enought steers to warrant mention; odd lots of medium heifers and mixed steer and heifer yearlings 20.00@22.00; common and medium beef cows 16.50@17.50; odd head good around 18.00, canners and cutters 14.00@16.50; medium and good bulls 20.00@22.00, cutter and comlon 17.50@19.50; good and choice vealers 24.00@33.00; lommon and medium 19.00@24.00.

Sheep 600; market strong on light run of lambs; fully 1.00 higher than Friday, a week ago; top wooled lambs 26.00 paid by packers; bulk lambs 25.50@26.00 including load burry Texas 25.75 and some fall shorn lambs 25.50, just medium to good fall clips 24.00; slaughter ewes scarce, steady, occasional sales cull to medium ewes 7.00@9.50.

Chicago Produce

(By The Associated Press)

Butter steady; receipts 592,1000; prices unchanged.

Eggs steady, receipts 9,985; prices unchanged.

Live poultry: Firm; receipts eight trucks; prices unchanged except a cent a pound on fowl at 40@41 FOB.

Potatoes: Arrivals 125, on track 303; total U. S. shipments 1,448; supplies moderate; demand slow; market slightly weak on russets, dull on northern reds; Idaho russet burbanks 4.30@60, bakers 4.85, standards 4.00; new stock; Florida 50-lb sacks bliss triumphs 2.85@3.00.

Produce close: Storage eggs: Oct. 47.15@20. Butter — storage: Mar. 61.00. Onions, Mar. 98@1.00.

Wall Street Close (Noon)

New York, Feb. 25—(AP)—Am Smelt 49; AT & T 147; Anaconda 31¾; Bendix 32⅝; Beth Stl 30½; Borden 38⅝; Borg 47¼; Chrysler 52; Corn Prod 60⅞; Curt Wright 9¼; Du Pont 181½; G E 35⅜; G M 57; I C 32½; Int Harv 23⅝; Johns Manv 36⅜; Kimberly Clark 19½; Mont Ward 53⅜; N Y C 10⅝; No Am Av 9¾; Jhollip 54; R C A 11¼; Rep Stl 23¾; Sears 35c; St Oil Ind 37⅝; St Oil N J 66½; Studebaker 17⅛; Swift 29; Tex Corp 49⅜; U S Rubber 38⅝; U S Steel 70⅞; Woolworth 45⅝.

William F. Jones, Marine Private To Be Re-Buried

PVT. WILLIAM F. JONES

Mrs. Bert Woodyatt, Mrs. Henry Ruppert and Mrs. William Walters, have received word that the body of their brother, Pvt. William F. Jones, who was killed in action on Okinawa, June 10th, 1945, is enroute home. Remains of 5,806 Americans who lost their lives during World War II have been returned to the United States from the Pacific area aboard the U. S. Army Transport, Dalton Victory.

The armed forces' dead were entered in temporary military cemeteries on Iwo Jima, Tinian, Guam, Saipan and Hawaii. A total of 442 bodies were returned upon instructions of next of kin residing in Illinois.

The time of arrival and the date of the funeral of Pvt. Jones will be announced later.

A. & P. Trust Suit

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opinion said, "was, it is fairly inferable, not 'twice blessed' like the quality of mercy that 'droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven.' It did not bless 'him that gives and him that takes.'

"A & P Was Blessed"

"Only A & P was blessed, and the supplier had to make his profit out of his other customers at higher prices, which were passed on to the competition A & P met in the retail field."

The government further charged that the company operated some retail stores at a loss to force competitors out of business and recovered the losses from profits other than retail sales.

Summarizing its defense at the trial, the company said its "basic philosophy is that it is better to serve a lot of customers with food at low prices and earn a low rate of net profit than to serve fewer customers at high prices with a high profit per dollar of sales."

The government brought its anti-trust suit, defense counsel argued, because "it does not like this method of doing business."

Rock River Here On Annual Spring Rise

About noon yesterday, the Rock river started on its annual spring rise but the increased stage was gradual an no material damage from spring flood conditions was anticipated. The greatest rise in the stage of water was noted from noon yesterday until midnight when more than a one foot rise was noted below the dam.

At the I. N. U. Co. hydro plant at the foot of Ottawa avenue, the recordings indicated that the stage of water continued to rise until about 4 o'clock this morning. Since then the flow held about normal. Between 6 o'clock midnight and 4 o'clock this morning the stage increased greater than at any other time.

Several of the control gates were reported to have been opened in the government dam at Sterling to permit the increased volume of water to pass on down stream. A narrow passage between Sterling and Erie which was holding back the flow of water and another was reported between Dixon and Oregon. At the hydro plant, however, the report indicated that the stage of water today was only about three feet above the normal flow.

The island above the Peoria avenue bridge was covered with water today as the stage reached its highest point of the year. A field of ice above the dam broke loose about 10:30 this morning and moved out, rapidly breaking up as it passed over the dam.

Pleasure Cars

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was extended to the 16 other unions with which GM does business, after the UAW agreement was signed last May, provision also was made to keep the pay of salaried workers apace with that of the production workers.

Ties Ups and Downs

The pact ties wages to the ups and downs of the consumers' price index kept monthly by the Bureau of Labor Statisics. The GM payroll changes are figured every three months.

This yielded GM employes a three-cent hourly boost last summer, when the index was on the rise.

The drop shown for the past three months, besides slicing two cents off the hourly pay of 270,000 workers, means the 68,000 salaried employes of GM will suffer a flat $10 cut at the end of the next pay quarter.

The "Compensator"

However, the UAW contract calls for a three-cent annual wage increase to compensate for a yearly "improvement factor"—based on the theory that the experienced worker is worth at least that much more each year because his production increases.

That new pay allowance is due May 29 for the production workers, and a $15 bonus to salaried workers will follow in the next quarter—thus offsetting the current pay cut with a one-third margin to spare.

The January 15 index announced today was 170.9 per cent of the 1935-39 average. That was considered a normal period, and is figured at 100

Cold weather saved the GM workers an additional one-cent pay loss. It caused a sharp rise in the price of fresh fruits and vegetables during the past month, and kept the index from slipping even further.

The wage reduction for employes of the world's largest car maker, is certain to affect collective bargaining this spring, when Ford and Chrysler, its two great rivals, begin negotiations. Ford comes up first, May 15.

Navy Clubs of U.S.A. Plan Chicago Confab

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 25—(AP)—All national officers of the Navy clubs of the U. S. A., will hold a staff meeting in the Edgewater Beach hotel, Chicago, March 25 and 26, Dr R. J. Mashek, national commandant of the waterborne veterans association announced today. The officers include commandants from all state squadron organizations.

Aquatic animals do not drink water.

Deaths

WILLIAM H. SCYKES

William H. Scykes passed away at 6:25 this morning at the Ginger Nursing Home in Sterling after a long illness.

He was born May 2, 1865 near Lincoln, Ill. He has been a resident of this community for 35 years. Surviving are one son, Ora Scykes of Sterling; one daughter, Mrs. Fred Schulte of Harmon; two sisters, Mrs. Nancy Boyer of Waterloo, Ia., and Mrs. Mary Hettinger of Decatur, Ill., and one brother, Thomas, of Jacksonville, Ill. His wife, Minnie, preceded him in death in 1935. He also leaves eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Melvin funeral home in Sterling with the Rev. Keith Hume of Sterling officiating. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

Funerals

ROSE MAY EWALD

Funeral services for Rose May Ewald will be held Saturday afternoon, Feb. 26th at her residence in Ashton at 1:30 and at 2 o'clock at the Ashton Methodist church with the Rev. Winget officiating. Interment will be in the Ashton cemetery.

She was born April 1, 1879 in Paw Paw and died Feb. 24th, 1949 about 9 a. m. at the Rochelle City hospital. Her parents were Jonathon Hampton and Mary Lambert Hampton. She was married to John Ewald on Oct. 10th, 1911. They farmed in Reynolds Township moving to Ashton in 1945.

She is survived by her husband, John; one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Seebach, Flagg Center; and three sons, Arthur, Kingston; Glen, Rochelle, and John, Steward; two sisters, Zelda Todd of Jackson, Miss., and Jessie Forman of Hinckley, Ill., and one brother, Roland Hampton, Paw Paw. She was preceded in death by her parents and four brothers.

She was active in the Methodist church in Ashton.

Obituaries

Local—

CHARLES H. MULKINS

Charles H. Mulkins, life long resident of Dixon, passed away at 5 o'clock last evening at the KSB hospital, where he was taken six days ago for observation and treatment. For a number of years he had followed his vocation of painter and decorator in Dixon, from which activity he retired a few years ago. He was a member of the Dixon lodge, No. 779, B.P.O. Elks. His parents were the late Lemuel and Helen Williams Mulkins and he leaves one sister, Miss Florence Mulkins who resides at 324 East Second street. Funeral services will be conducted from the Buckley-Staples funeral home Saturday morning at 10.30, Rev. A. E. Nesmith, pastor of the First Methodist church officiating and burial will be in Oakwood cemetery.

K. S. B. Hospital

Admitted: Clifford Hensley, Miss Joyce Hess and Mrs. Mary Lee.

Discharged: Mrs. Mae White of Amboy; Mrs. Lena Meyers, Everett Keplinger, Mrs. Mary White and Mrs. Mary McGee.

Births: To Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Fordham of 419 Van Buren, a girl on Feb. 23.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffith of 419 Swiss street, a boy on Feb. 23.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lambert of Monroe avenue, a girl on Feb. 25.

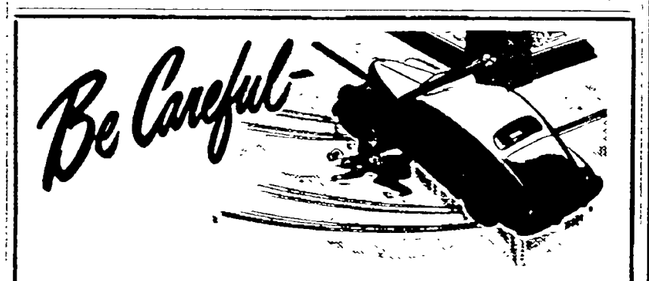
To Mr. and Mrs. Ivel Branson of 838 North Dement avenue, a boy on Feb. 24.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beard of Route 1, Dixon, a boy on Feb. 24.

Lodges

BATTALION PRACTICE OFF

There will be no Knight Templar Battalion practice on Sunday, Feb. 27th because of the damaged condition of the Masonic Temple.



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Labor Bill Is Stymied Once More

Washington, Feb. 25—(AP)—The Truman labor bill bumped into new delay today.

Chairman Elbert Thomas (D-Utah) announced the senate labor committee has tentatively put off further study of it until next Friday. He previously had declared the committee would begin closed door work on it no later than Monday.

Thomas' announcement brought some jibes from Republicans although he said the delay was necessary to give the committee staff time to get the record of hearings printed.

Senator Morse (R-Ore) said, "Apparently the Democratic steamroller again needs more fuel from the White House."

"I wonder," Morse added, "whether the president will blame this delay on the Republicans."

The committee ended its public hearings two days ago. Its job now is to whip the bill into final shape in private committee meetings.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) sharply disputed President Truman's assertion that the Taft-Hartley law is "an insult to the working men and women of this country."

GOP Hopes

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asked. "The 81st congress must be worse than he said the 80th was."

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said Mr Truman is all wrong in attacking the Taft-Hartley labor law. Taft said he thinks Mr. Truman will find that out in any check of the country.

Senator Bricker (R-Ohio) said it seems to him that the president recognized that his own party doesn't agree with him.

That Old Straw Man

"He is just building up a straw man of 'special interests' and batting it around," Bricker said, and added that Mr. Truman can try his luck with the country on that if he chooses.

Senator Morse (R-Ore) remarked that if the Truman program has bogged down, as the president seemed to indicate, it is "because there is no united support on the Democratic side of the aisle."

"He is trying to cover up the split in his own party," Morse said.

Democrats at the dinners showed their approval of the speech by applause. Senator Pepper (D-Fla) especially liked the president's criticism of those who oppose repeal of the Taft-Hartley labor law.

It was after commenting that the main issue in last November's election "was the welfare of all the people against the special privilege of the few," that Mr. Truman said he might tour the country and talk to the people again.

The more than 1,500 Democrats packed into a hotel dining room jumped to their feet and cheered that. There was no doubt that having tasted victory in Mr. Truman's aggressive campaign tactics last year, they wanted the president to keep on in the same fashion.

POP Goes the QUEEN

By Bob Wade and Bill Miller

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THE STORY: John Henry and Sin Conover, quiz show winners of an expense-paid week at the swank Las Dunas resort, are visited by an armed man, Homer Anglin, as they dress for dinner in their cottage. Anglin leaves, saying he made a mistake. Then a Queen of Diamonds, on which was written "hour deal," was left beside Johnny's plate as he and Sin dine in an exclusive cafe. Johnny and the manager, Mr. Barnelon, search for the waiter just as Anglin stumbles in, fatally wounded. Anglin mutters to Johnny, "You already got it," and dies. Barnelon seems very anxious to learn what Anglin told Johnny, but Johnny doesn't tell. When the Conovers return to their cottage, they find the lights burning and the door unlocked. Then they enter and Sin screams.

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A GIRL was sitting in the big chair that faced the door. Her round eyes were ponds of friendly curiosity. Under them, softly prominent cheekbones slanted into a tiptilted nose. She was young, with a lily-smooth face and black hair swept up over small ears and an ivory-tinted neck. Trim legs were doubled up under her and one porcelain fist rubbed back and forth against her round slight chin.

"What the dickens," said John Henry, "are you doing here?"

"Yes," said Sin definitely.

The girl didn't get up. She had a small sultry mouth that seemed about to laugh and squeal "Ooh!" at the same time. It curved a little more and said, "You're trying to scare me. Somebody told you I like to be scared."

The Conovers looked at each other. Nobody was making faces or anything. John Henry said, "Well, that doesn't answer much of my question, Miss—"

The girl kept smiling, half-veiling the bright eyes. Her voice came caressingly from way down in her throat. "I'm so glad you came to call. I need building up."

Sin said flatly, "We live here."

The girl answered, "I live here."

"That's not true."

The girl shook her sleek black head slowly.

"Now, look here," John Henry began, then stopped. He pushed around Sin to the porch and looked at the cottage number. Yes, it was 15, all right. His lips clamped in determined lines and he marched back into the house, shutting the door firmly behind him. "Now, look here," he began again.

"Tell her, Johnny." Sin nudged him. "Tell her that we're registered here."

"That's right. We're registered here, Miss—"

The girl stopped rubbing her chin. With the ball of her thumb, she polished at one long fingernail, and her face saddened. "I'm sorry this is all a mistake. It started out like such fun. I was registered for this cottage less than an hour ago. Mr. Gayner was quite definite about the number."

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JOHN HENRY regarded her with grim disbelief. He strode into the bedroom. Their clothes, which he had unpacked himself, were in the closet. That should convince the girl that she was in the wrong place. The girl had unfolded her graceful body—she wore lounging pajamas of some dark fuzzy material—and followed him into the bedroom. Sin brought up the rear. "Now, take a look at this!" John Henry threw open the closet door.

"Do you think they suit me?" the girl asked him seriously.

Sin said, "Oh, honey . . ." John Henry got confused. The closet was stuffed with clothes, but they were the wrong clothes—slinky dresses, evening gowns, dressing gowns, everything feminine. Nothing was Sin's, much less her husband's.

Confounded, John Henry looked up. "I can't understand it," he said heavily. "This is our cottage. I know it is. Obviously somebody—" he glanced at the girl. "Suppose I get Mr. Gayner. He ought to be able to straighten the whole thing out in a jiffy."

The girl looked up at him affectionately. "Good," she said. "Bring Mr. Gayner down and we'll talk till bedtime."

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"I WOULDN'T have had it happen for the world." Mr. Gayner was prostrated.

"Okay, I understand that," John Henry said. He stood behind his wife's chair, gripping the uprights. Sin sat there fidgeting angrily.

The assistant manager leaned his gaunt body back in his swivel chair and clasped his hands. "Faye Jordan is," he mourned, "a child of whim. Whim and wealth are an uncomfortable combination. Cottage 14 has been held open for a week, pending her arrival—she paid the rental all that time, of course. When she arrived this evening, I naturally moved her into Cottage 14—which she had specified in her telegram. A short time ago we discovered a mistake had been made in her telegram. Instead, she desired Cottage 15. So to make a long story short—"

"You moved our things out," John Henry said.

"Just next door," Gayner soothed. "You're now in Cottage 14. I realize and regret the embarrassment which this whole business has caused. I had expected to be on the desk when you returned. That way I could have prevented this unfortunate episode."

The hotel man sorrowfully scratched his long nose. "These things happen in any catering business, madam. Of course, I did my best in your absence—I secured permission to move your baggage between the cottages."

John Henry swallowed with difficulty. "Permission! Who gave you permission?"

"Your representative here. The tooth-paste fellow. Mr. Trim."

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Russia Moves Troops

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Recently Swedish sources in Stockholm expressed fears that Russia might strengthen her forces on both the Norwegian and Finnish borders as a countermeasure to the North Atlantic negotiations.

Crisis In Finland

Helsinki, Finland, Feb. 25—(AP)—The threat of a cabinet crisis grew today. Opposition party leaders warned there is mounting danger to Finland because of Norway's pro-western stand and demanded the government step down in favor of a coalition.

A report that additional Russian troops were moving toward the Soviet union's border with Norway came from an authoritative Finnish source. This source said the movement was observed last weekend and apparently was in connection with Norway's stand in favor of the proposed Atlantic alliance. Finland's frontier touches those of Russia and Norway in the north.

PERSONALS

Miss Anne Eustace returned last evening from Chicago where she enjoyed a visit with her niece, Mrs. Robert Schuler of Birmingham, Ala.

Hughitt, C.&N.W.Ry., Retired Official, Dies

Kankakee, Ill., Feb. 25—(AP)—Marvin Hughitt, Jr., 87, of St. George, Ill., retired vice president of the Chicago and North Western Railway company, left an estate of more than $1,000,000.

Hughitt died Feb. 7 at Palm Beach, Fla. His will was filed for probate today. He retired in 1925.

One-half of the estate was left outright to his widow, Edith, who also received a life interest in the income from most of the remainder of the estate. Hughitt's secretary, W. H. Roberts, Chicago, received $1,000 and the Bell Barrett Hughitt Nursery, Brutus, Ky., $5,000.

Is Wall Street

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dling the fence, saying "wait a couple of months and we'll see."

Can't Discount Weaknesses

But the weakness of stocks in recent market sessions can scarcely be regarded as discounting the same old recession, whether present, future or doubtful.

So this time, Wall Street is wondering. Are stock traders discounting now the lower corporate earnings and dividends they anticipate in the second or third quarters of this year? Or are they showing battle fatigue? Have they given up on the public?

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SOCIETY NEWS

Saturday Speaker

"Education for a Better People and a Better World" will be the topic of Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman when she speaks before the Dixon Woman's club tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Loveland Community House.

VIOLA UNIT HAS MEETING

A meeting of the Viola Home Bureau was held Thursday, February 17th, at the home of Mrs. Harry Hackman with a scramble dinner at noon.

A few of the members finished their metal trays in the forenoon. Roll call "Salads Men Like" was answered by 16 members and four guests.

Mrs Arland Vogler gave the health report on "How to Guard Against Ringworm and Diabetes." Miss June Pilgrim made a special announcement on the Mobile T.B Unit to be in the county, March 28 and 29.

The minor lesson "Closets and Storage Space" was given by Mrs. Paul Gehant. The major lesson "Broiler Cookery" was given by Miss Pilgrim.

The final plans for the unit trip to Chicago were discussed

VIOLA UNIT HAS CHICAGO TRIP

The Viola Home Bureau enjoyed a trip to Chicago, Friday, February 18th. The group left the Junction of 51 and 30 at 7 a. m. with 28 present, including members and guests.

The first stop was at a well known hotel where they saw Tommy Bartlett on "Welcome Travelers." After the program they had lunch at the "Well Of The Sea" in the hotel.

The next stop was the American Broadcasting studios where they saw the "Ladies Be Seated" program. One of the guests, Mrs. Vivian Pettenger was selected to be on the air and won a kitchen cupboard base and a vacuum cleaner.

They then spent a short time at the Hall of Science and Industry, after which they had dinner at a famous restaurant and then attended the theater.

The Unit members and guests wish to thank Mrs. Gilbert Lindenmier and her committee for a very enjoyable trip.

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SO. DIXON WORKERS

The South Dixon Willing Workers 4-H club will meet at the Red Brick school Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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ST JAMES AID SOCIETY

The St James Aid Society will meet Wednesday March 2nd, with Mrs Fred Odenthal There will be a scramble dinner at noon.

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MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Men's Bible class of the Bethel United Evangelical church will meet this Monday evening at the home of Charles Yeager, 218 College avenue at 7:30. All members are urged to attend.

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Serve Waldorf Salad — cubed apples and celery mixed with broken walnut meats and mayonaise — with a mound of cottage cheese and garnish with paprika and watercress

War II Mothers District Meet Is Held Here

Registration started at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning in the GAR hall for the second annual district convention of Mothers of World War II Mrs Leona Flamm of this city, unit president, called the meeting to order

Mrs. Flamm turned the meeting over to the district president, Mrs Eva Hardy of Morrison. The pledge to the flag was given and the Star Spangled Banner was sung by all. The district chaplain gave a prayer. Mrs. Hardy then introduced the state officers: Mrs Genevieve May of Moline, state president; Mrs. Kathleen Curry of Alban, first vice president of the national organization; Mrs Viola Strub of Dixon, state parliamentarian. The gold star mothers were also introduced.

Roll call was held after which a report of registration was told The treasurer's and different committee chairman's reports for the year were given. Visitors were asked to speak. Just before lunch the Dixon unit presented Mrs May with a corsage

Luncheon at the Nachusa

A luncheon was held at noon at the Nachusa Hotel. Attorney James Bales was the guest speaker and told of the boys in veterans hospitals A George Washington theme was used in the pretty decorations

Mrs Hardy called the afternoon meeting to order at 1 o'clock She told of the state convention which is to be held in Rockford on April 8 and 9 Mrs Curry, first vice of national, talked on the hospital work being done by the units

Elect Officers

Election of district officers for the coming year was held and they are as follows: president—Mrs Fern Hamilton of Erie, first vice president—Verna Rinehart of Dixon; second vice president—Lillian Snowden of Morrison; recording secretary—Gladys Seifken of Morrison, financial secretary—Norma Gibler of Albany, treasurer—Beatrice Ritchie of Morrison, chaplain—Leona Flamm of Dixon sgt. at arms—Frida Popkins of Morrison; parliamentarian—Hannah Sherman of Albany; historian—Ann Spears of Albany; color bearers—Mary Selgested of Dixon and Bessie Bitler of Albany and color guards—Velma Ege of Albany and Anna Randall of Dixon Mrs May installed the officers

Mrs. May told that there are 6,000 paid up members in the World War II Mothers organization It was announced that this district has taken in the Rockford organization until they are able to form a district of their own

The next meeting will be in Erie in March.

World War II Mothers District Convention Held Here

When the second annual district convention of Mothers of World War II was held in the Dixon G A R hall Wednesday, district officers for the coming year were elected The above picture was snapped following the luncheon at the Nachusa Hotel Those pictured above are

Seated Mrs Viola Strub Dixon; Mrs Genevieve May, Rock Island, Atty James Bales, Dixon; Mrs Cathryn Curry, Fulton; Mrs Eva Hardy, Morrison; Mrs Nona Gibler, Fulton

Standing Mrs. Leona Flamm, Dixon; Mrs Bessie Bitler, Albany, Mrs Velma Ege Albany; Mrs Verna Rinehart, Dixon; Mrs Beatrice Ritchie, Morrison, Mrs Fern Hamilton, Erie, Mrs Frieda Popkins, Morrison Mrs Eva Moore, Oregon, Mrs. Gladys Stefken Morrison; Mrs Hannah Sherman, Albany, Mrs. Pearl Blackburn Dixon.

Lincoln School First Graders Ready for Show

Ask any Iowan how tall the corn grows there or "Ask Mr Travis" at Lincoln School March 4 at 6:30 or 8:00 p m. He will present the first graders in songs and activities to answer the question and picture farm life in our neighboring state The children include:

Janette Anderson, Jerry Bain, Jane Bradley, Wesley Bridgman, Cheryl Butterfield, Sue Dimond, David Dunseth, Linda Folkers, Keith Gibson, Ruth Green, Donald Hamilton, Lola Hamilton, Charles Lawson, Henry Nehring, Eric Nelson, Terry Nicklaus Melissa Reuter, Louise Scarborough, Joyce Scholl, Rita Schultheis, Billy Sears, Dale Smyth, Phyllis Teeter, Verna Arold, Carolyn Sue Bain, Gloria Jean Bradley, Juanita Cox, John Cramer, Allen Davis, Terry Davis, Rosalind Huene, Judy Huggins, Mary Lee Leblanc, Alan Laidig Michael Ortgiesen, Richard Ortgiesen, Dick Pittman, Phyllis Riley Mary Edwina Smith

Janet Taylor, Marie Thompson, Jeffrey Vincent, Frank Villiger, Anna May Winters, Tommy Schlutheis, Sammy Kay Cordier Jerry Lee Tallent, Donna Strub, Dennis Wadsworth, Patricia Chesmore, Frieda O'Dell, Frederick Lundy, Nancy Jo Hamilton, Faye McCann, Phillip Hey, Patricia Hazelwood, Marilyn Wolfe, Robert Welch, Lawrence Walls, Jerry Roy Waite, Janice Trader, Rodney Worton, Daniel Wadsworth, James Burke, Beverly Gilman, Carol Springer, Patricia Schmall, Thomas Sanford, Dolly Lawson, and Robert Hazelwood.

The teachers, Mrs Mary McGraham, Miss Gladys Smith, and Miss Grace O'Malley, are directing the pupils.

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CHOIR REHEARSAL FOR PALM SUN. CANTATA

There will be sectional rehearsals Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church for the Palm Sunday cantata Men to arrive for practice at 2:30 and women at 3.30

Beta Sigma Phi Members Discuss Show at Meeting

Last minute details were discussed for "Easter Around the Clock", the style show which they are sponsoring on March 3rd at 8 o'clock at the Loveland Community when members of Gamma Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met at the Loveland Community House Wednesday evening.

Plans were made for the spring banquet to which Freeport and Sterling chapters will be invited.

At the close of the meeting it was announced that rehearsals for the show will be staged for the adults Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock and Thursday morning for the children.

Social Calendar

Tonight

Palmyra Grange Social Night at the Grange hall Picnic supper at 7:30.

Minnie Belle Rebekah Lodge No. 423 in the IOOF hall 7 30

Saturday

The Little Heralds and Mission Band of the Evangelical U. B. church of Eldena to meet 2 p m.

South Dixon Willing Workers 4-H club at the Red Brick school 2 p. m.

Story Hour at the Dixon Public Library 10 15 a m.

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MONDAY PUBLIC PARTY

There will be another public party Monday evening to be held at the Amvet Hall, over Boynton-Richard's clothing store, and sponsored by the Auxiliary of Post 123 Members and friends are invited and there will be games and refreshments for all.

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AAUW WRITERS TO MEET

The AAUW Writers Work shop will meet Sunday afternoon, Feb. 27th at 2 30 at the home of Miss Helen Boyd, 907 East Fellows street Members are asked to please note the change in time. Members interested in this group are asked to call Mrs. A. J Pana

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LIBRARY STORY HOUR

The story hour at the Dixon Public Library will begin promptly at 10 15 in the morning Mrs Victor Eichler will read the following stories "The Blue Bird" by Maurice Maeterlinck "Peanut Butter's Slide," "Hercules the Gentle Giant" and "Oswald's Pet Dragon."

Chicago Church Wedding Scene

(Telegraph Special Service)

Mt. Morris—The marriage of Vernie Mae Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Pittenger and Edward E. Meyers, son of Mrs. Viola Meyers of Centerville, Iowa, took place Wednesday, Feb. 2nd at the the People's church, Chicago. The double ring ceremony was read by Dr. Preston Bradley and the couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Oakes of Schiller Park, brother-in-law and sister of the bride.

Vernie Mae wore an aqua faille gown with gold accessories and had a corsage of pink carnations. Her sister wore a navy blue faille suit dress.

Mr Meyers is a staff member of the White Cross Hospital Plan insurance and Mrs. Meyers is proprietor of Diane's Kiddy shop The newly weds will reside at 210½ North Wesley avenue.

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Luncheon Honoree

Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman of Jerseyville, Ill, general federation chairman of education and speaker at the Dixon Woman's club tomorrow afternoon will be honored at a luncheon tomorrow at the Hotel Nachusa by the Dixon's Woman's club board. Mrs. Chapman is being brought to the club by the education department which has its chairman, Miss Cornelia Combear, assisted by Miss Lorraine Misseman Mrs Wendell Drummond Mrs A McBride, Mrs Clyde Carson Mrs. LeRoy Weihe and Mrs William Wohrley.

Mrs. Roy Heinbaugh, district president, and Mrs Arthur Schaffer will also be guests at the luncheon.

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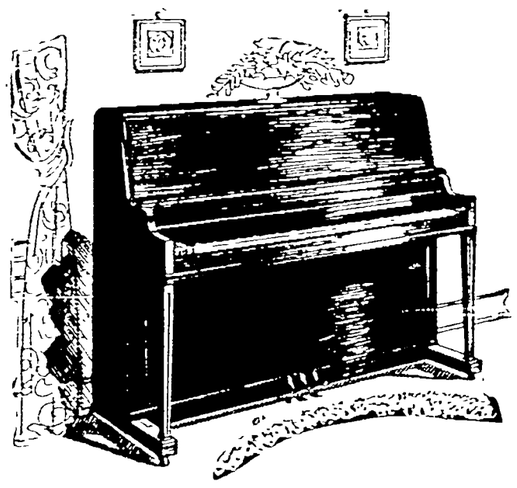

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PHELPS STARS AS NORTH DEFEATS SOUTH, 10-7

This Is the Nawth, Suh!....

Although their manager, Gene Barrowman, was absent, this ridiculously garbed group, called the North side, won a 10-7 victory over the South in their annual game in the Dixon high school gym last night. The personnel:

Standing: Bob Krug, Chuck Redebaugh, Sam Owens, Lloyd Swan, John Bovey, Hank Jensen, Paul Potts, Jim Mercer, Earl Slagle, Jr.

COUGHLIN'S CORNER

By CLIFF

DIXON'S YOUTH CENTER was richer by more than $500 and a flock of fans spent a highly enjoyable evening as the North Side Old Timers scuttled the South Side, 10-7, in a riot of fun in the Dixon high school gym last night.

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BE-GIRDLED and be-wigged Dixon businessmen and others exhibiting themselves in practically every costume imaginable (mainly feminine attire), got into the spirit of the game from the very outset. The patrons loved it.

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DETAILS OF the contest are rather vague. The North Siders tied 2-2 at the first quarter, moved into a 6-2 first half lead, led 8-5 at the third quarter, and then managed to crawl to the finish line.

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By far the most outstanding play of the night was made by Lloyd (Red Drawers) Phelps, who stood in mid-court late in the fourth and swished one in cleanly. It was unquestionably the finest shot made in prep, college or pro basketball this season, or any other season, and it sent "Papa" Phelps into such ecstacy that he had to be removed. The blood pressure, you know.

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OFFICIALS ORVAL SPURLIN and Jim Dommetta of Amboy, cooperated beautifully. They shot free throws themselves, called personnel off the bench to shoot 'em, tolerated the bear-hugging of Defense Man Sam (Grandma) Owens, and all this and more too, without even blushing.

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THE ATTIRE of Paul (The Eldena Flash) Delaney, almost caused him to be removed from the starting lineup for the South. "The Flash" ambled out on the floor in a perfectly indecent girdle, an unmentionable about his upper torso, and a derby hat. His limbs were clad in the nylons, the newest shade, Fishwife Grey. Oh, yes, a bare midriff.

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THE DISROBING act of Harry (The Last of the Red Hot Mamas) Kerz was even tolerated. He stood at the free throw line and as the crowd yelled, "Take 'em off!" gradually revealed his knobby knees, slat-like ribs, and then was hurried to the bench.

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PAUL (HAMBURGER SPECIAL) Potts appeared as announced, in a 1904 bathing suit. His face was matted with a beard and he wore a pair of spectacles.

Hank Jensen, trotted out as a caveman. This he accentuated with a popular olive drab headpiece, a GI helmet liner.

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A WORD SHOULD be said, too, about Jim Mercer, Sr. He was more formal than the rest. A full-dress cutaway featured ballooning trousers, Charlie Chaplin shoes and a nose which lighted-up at the press of a button. Jim, who attempted the hidden-ball trick by tucking the ball into his pants, wound up the evening with a badly sprained thumb on his left hand. It was really painful.

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BOTH SAM OWENS and Lloyd Swan of the DHS coaching staff, received long and loud cheers from the assemblage when they strode onto the floor. The loudest cheers came from the Duke varsity and frosh-soph squads who were much in evidence along the sidelines. Coach Swan wore plaid kilts and (we guess) a wig. Prize for the best costumes must go to Sam Owens, Paul Delaney, Harry Kerz, Jim Mercer, and Lloyd Swan.

....and This Is the South!

The South was the loser of last night's game, but they're still happy as this picture shows. A couple of fun-loving boys, Larry Kelly, Sr., and Harry Kerz are stealing the act as you can plainly see.

Standing, left to right: Ken Abbott, Don Miller, Eddie Callahan, Coach Charles Roundy, Marvin Rebuck, Larry Kelly, Sr., Harry Kerz, Harry Vincent, Paul Delaney, "Slats" Hasselberg, Hubert Considine, John Mitchell, Larry Kelly, Jr., Ed Flocker, 'Red' Flanagan and Hank Henry.

Can You Imagine....!

A couple of South side characters, Harry Kerz, left, and Paul (The Eldena Flash) Delaney, right, pose for a jump ball as Paul (Ham and Eggs) Potts, in a 1904 bathing suit, prepares to toss the ball skyward. Potts was the general chairman of the Old Timers event.

Fishermen, Hunters, Plan Record Year

Springfield, Ill., Feb 25—(AP)—A record turnout of hunters and fishermen in Illinois this year was predicted today by State Conservation Director Leonard Schwartz.

He said the department anticipates the demand for licenses will exceed last year's issuance of 700,000 hunting licenses and 422,000 fishing licenses.

Trout streams and ponds of northwestern Illinois will be stocked with 20,000 rainbow and brown trout this spring, Schwartz said. Beaver Dam lake in Macoupin county near Carlinville is expected to offer best bass fishing when the 100 acre lake is restocked and opened about July 15.

Stock on state game farms now totals about 17,400 ringneck pheasants and 9,500 quail. About 8,000 pheasants and 5,000 quail will be kept for breeding and surplus birds will be released in the spring.

Expansion of the farmer-sportsmen cooperative program is planned for increased 1949 game bird production. Under this plan, the department supplies Sportsmens clubs with young birds and they raise them to release at maturity.

A total of 250,000 seedlings have been delivered to Southern Illinois landowners for spring planting for game cover.

Forty deer captured in the Rock River valley region, where the large herd is becoming a problem, were released in the Shawnee National forest in southern Illinois.

Reigle Gets 25 As Legion Wins, 62-36

Coach Johnny Mitchell's Dixon Legion, holding the Rockford Cay club scoreless from the field for 15 minutes of the first half, scored a 62-36 triumph over the Rockford five in the Dixon high school gym last night.

Bill Reigle, who has been returning to scoring form lately, pumped in 25 points to lead the local club to victory.

The game was played as an aftermath of last night's "Old Timer's" tussle and was part of the program to provide funds for the Dixon Youth Center.

It was also an AAU loop match and kept the Dixonites in the scramble for fourth place and a play-off spot.

Dixon Legion (62)	G	F	P	Rockford Cay (36)	G	F	P
Reigle	11	3	4	W. Sharon	2	2	2
Phillips	2	0	2	McCann	0	0	2
Wallace	0	0	0	McCrystal	2	2	3
Kernan	2	1	2	Osborne	0	0	0
Mosher	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Hughes	0	5	2
Callahan	1	1	0	Horsup	[illegible]	2	3
Youngmark	1	1	3	R. Barrel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arnould	3	1	2	Kelly	0	0	1
Hubbard	1	0	2	Walsh	0	4	4
Knack	1	3	2	Gray	1	0	0
Howard	1	2	4				
Totals	24	14	25	Totals	9	18	23

Score by quarters—

Dixon	12	19	17	14—62
Rockford	5	10	14	7—36

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES

EAST

St. Johns (Bkn.) 71, NYU 54

MIDWEST

Kentucky of Xavier (Cincinnati) 40
Kansas State 63, Kansas 55
Hamline 74, Augsburg 38
Wilmington (Ohio) 7[illegible], Earlham 65
Illinois College 72, Carthage (Ill) 53
Shurtleff (Ill.) 59, Quincy 5[illegible]

OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE TOURNEY (First Round)

Western Kentucky 73, Tenn Tech 4[illegible]
Eastern Kentucky 73, Murray (Ky.) 41

HOCKEY SCORES

Montreal 3, Chicago 1

Put Me in Coach!

Coach Charley Roundy, left, of the South side, does a little preliminary explaining of what this is all about. The guy on the right, Marvin Rebuck, is saying, "Oh!"

Others in this group are Rep. Hubert Considine, behind the ball (not eight-ball) and Don Miller.

Cronin Mum On Williams' 'Record' Pay

By BILL KING

Boston, Feb. 25—(AP)—Reports, none of which can be traced directly to Red Sox Slugger Ted Williams or General Manager Joe Cronin, are that the American league's .365-batting champion is baseball's first $100,000 player.

Cronin said Williams phoned him from his favorite fishing grounds in Everglades City, Fla., last night that he would sign his 1949 contract when he arrived at Sarasota training camp on March 6.

"Ted said he was very happy about it and that he and his family were in excellent health," Cronin reported as he set himself for some sharp questioning.

"Are you giving Williams $100,000?"

"I told you Ted was very happy about his new contract," Cronin, a strict upholder of Owner Tom Yawkey's no-salary-talk ban, replied.

"Is Williams getting more than last season's reported $80,000?" was the next question.

"I will tell you it's the best contract Ted has had," Cronin answered.

One to Go!

Steward, Lee Center in District Finals

Franklin Grove — (Special) — Steward and Lee Center were to face each other in the finals of the Franklin Grove district tournament here tonight after they scored victories here last night before 950 spectators.

Coach Maurice Errion's Steward club although they won handily encountered some trouble in the final half as Coach Max Patrick's Franklin Grovers rallied. Steward won 43-34, using a well-rounded scoring attack to do the job.

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In the second game, Coach Arnie Verbic's Lee Center five encountered a stubborn Compton and were pressed to win with a 26 point final quarter. The final count was 60-43.

Lee Center went ahead 24-11 at the first half but relaxed and found themselves ahead only 3-29 at the end of the third section. However, they rallied for the convincing win.

Tonight's title game is schduled for 8 o'clock. There will be no consolation match.

Lee Center (60)	G	F	P	Compton (43)	G	F	P
McBride	2	5	3	Archer	2	5	4
Stauffer	1	1	2	Sheridan	1	2	2
Folkman	5	2	4	Wilson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Aschenbrier	0	3	1	Gebhart	1	0	0
B. DeRosal	6	2	2	Cox	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wellman	0	1	1	Dolan	0	0	2
Conibear	[illegible]	4	2	Larson	1	5	5
Kurz	[illegible]	1	2	Bodner	0	0	0
W. DeRosal	0	0	2	Johnson	[illegible]	4	5
Totals	20	20	21	Totals	12	19	25

Score by quarters—

Lee Center	11	13	10	26—60
Compton	5	6	18	14—43

Steward (43)	G	F	P	Franklin Grove (34)	G	F	P
Hoffe	3	5	2	Marquis	0	1	4
Olson	1	1	3	Smith	1	1	3
W. Starnes	2	5	2	Dexter	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Macklin	0	1	1	Dixon	2	4	3
Benner	4	2	0	Peterson	0	0	3
Ronde	3	0	2	Bennett	2	0	0
Jordal	1	4	2	Bartlett	0	0	0
Johnson	0	1	3	Miller	1	0	5
				Stromberg	0	0	1
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Totals	12	12	25

Score by quarters—

Franklin Grove	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]—34
Steward	[illegible]	12	14	9—43

DISTRICT RESULTS

AT FRANKLIN GROVE

Steward 43, Franklin Grove 34
Lee Center 60, Compton 43

Games Tonight

8:15 p.m.—Steward vs. Lee Center (Title)

AT LA MOILLE

Bureau 57, Wyanet 52
La Moille 42, Tampico 41

Games Tonight

8 p.m.—LaMoille vs. Bureau Twp (Title)

AT SERENA

Somonauk 40, Serena 35
Minooka 51, Leland 2[illegible]

AT ATKINSON

[illegible] 44, Sheffield 27
[illegible] 40, Buda 29

AT MOOSEHEART

Mooseheart 55, Yorkville 54 (overtime)
Geneva 72, Elburn 45

AT PEARL CITY (Semi-Finals)

Shannon 45, Chadwick 29
[illegible] 54, Pearl City 39

AT BROCTON

Chrisman 40, Brocton 42

IN HOME PLUNGE

Syracuse—Syracuse's swimming team is back in its home pool in Archbold Gymnasium after almost two years of vagabonding.

Al Severance, Villanova basketball coach, scouted North Carolina State by television and his squad defeated the Wolfpack.

Thrill Stuff!

LaMoille in Finals; Wins Thriller, 42-41

S. CENTRAL SCORES WINS OVER LOVELAND

South Central grade school's sixth and seventh grade squads swept to two victories over Loveland last night in the Grade School league.

South Central sixth, behind the seven goal scoring of Pierce, submerged Loveland sixth 25-2. Loveland's two points came in the third on a goal by Delph.

South Central seventh, also scored a top-heavy victory over the Loveland seventh, 30-7, as Barton nailed nine goals and three free throws for 21 points.

S. Central Seventh (30)	G	F	P	Loveland Seventh (7)	G	F	P
Barton	9	3	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peterson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	2	[illegible]	2	Zimmerman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Burger	0	0	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rees	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	12	6	7	Totals	3	1	[illegible]

Score by quarters—

South Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Loveland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

S. Central Sixth (25)	G	F	P	Loveland Sixth (2)	G	F	P
Moore	0	0	1	Presnell	0	0	0
Wiggington	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Rhodes	0	0	0
Pierce	7	1	0	Delph	1	0	1
Brennan	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	Perry	0	0	0
Kernan	1	0	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	1	Totals	1	0	[illegible]

Score by quarters—

South Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]—25
Loveland	0	0	2	0—2

LaMoille—(Special)—Coach Cy Butterfield's LaMoille contingent won its second one point thriller in two nights here last night as they nosed out Tampico in the final 15 seconds 42-41.

Again it was Don Fetzer, LaMoille center, who scored a free throw in the final seconds to break a 41-41 tie and push the host team in the finals of the district meet here.

In the other semi-final game, Bureau township won its way into the title game with a 57-52 victory over Wyanet. The winner of tonight's LaMoille-Bureau match will go to the Mendota regional.

Fetzer, before scoring his winning point, had missed several free throws. After Coach Butterfield's men went into the lead, they stalled the remaining seconds.

Tonight's title match is carded for 8 p.m.

LaMoille (42)	G	F	P	Tampico (41)	G	F	P
Lower	[illegible]	1	2	Fritz	7	0	3
M. Fetzer	[illegible]	2	2	Struve	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
D. Fetzer	2	2	3	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Koch	7	1	2	Spathoff	4	3	4
E. Faber	1	0	0	Randall	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
				Glasburn	2	0	0
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Totals	16	9	12

Score by quarters—

LaMoille	[illegible]	[illegible]	5	6—42
Tampico	12	11	9	9—41

FIGHTS

PHILADELPHIA—Sante Bucca, 1[illegible], Philadelphia, outpointed Willie Beltram, 136½, New York, 8.
FALL RIVER, Mass.—Bobby English, 131, Fall River, outpointed Joey Bell, 130, New Haven, 10.
DES MOINES—Billy Cornwell, 137, Des Moines, outpointed Gerald Labrel, 137½, Gary, Ind.

George Markris, Michigan State boxing coach, was a two-time national collegiate light-heavyweight boxing champion at Wisconsin in 1942 and '43.

Game Results

Results of Dixon-Rochelle and the LaMoille and Franklin Grove district tournaments will be available at the Evening Telegraph office about 10 o'clock tonight.

Fans may call No. 5.

Tonight's frosh-soph game at Rochelle will begin at 7 p.m. and the varsity clash about 8:15 p. m. There are plenty of seats in the Rochelle gym.

High-Scoring Illinois Meets N. U. Saturday

Chicago, Feb. 25—(AP)—Rampaging Illinois—only Big Nine basketball team ever to average 60 points for an entire campaign—will visit Chicago Stadium tomorrow to meet an improved Northwestern quintet in the feature attraction for a four-game conference card.

The Illini, battling for their first Western conference crown since the days of the fabulous Whiz Kids of 1943, overwhelmed Northwestern 85 to 66 in Champaign on Feb 7. The league leaders have won eight Big Nine games against a lone setback by Purdue.

The Wildcats, on the other hand, have won only two of 11 league contests. They are sharpening their claws in the hopes of upsetting the Illini, however, and point to last week's 62 to 50 upset of Ohio state in the Stadium as an indication that they might turn the trick.

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Illinois has collected 558 points in the current conference campaign and appears likely to crack the conference scoring record of 755 set by the Whiz Kids who finished undefeated in 12 league games in 1943. Their average was 62.9 for the conference season.

Should Illinois dispose of Northwestern the league-leaders need only to defeat Indiana or Michigan in their final two games to clinch at least a tie for the title. Minnesota defeated twice in 10 games, and Michigan, losers of three games in nine, are the only teams with a mathematical chance of depriving Illinois the title.

In the remainder of tomorrow's Big Nine program Purdue (6-5) travels to Minnesota; Iowa (2-7) is host to Indiana (5-5), and Michigan goes to Ohio State (5-6).

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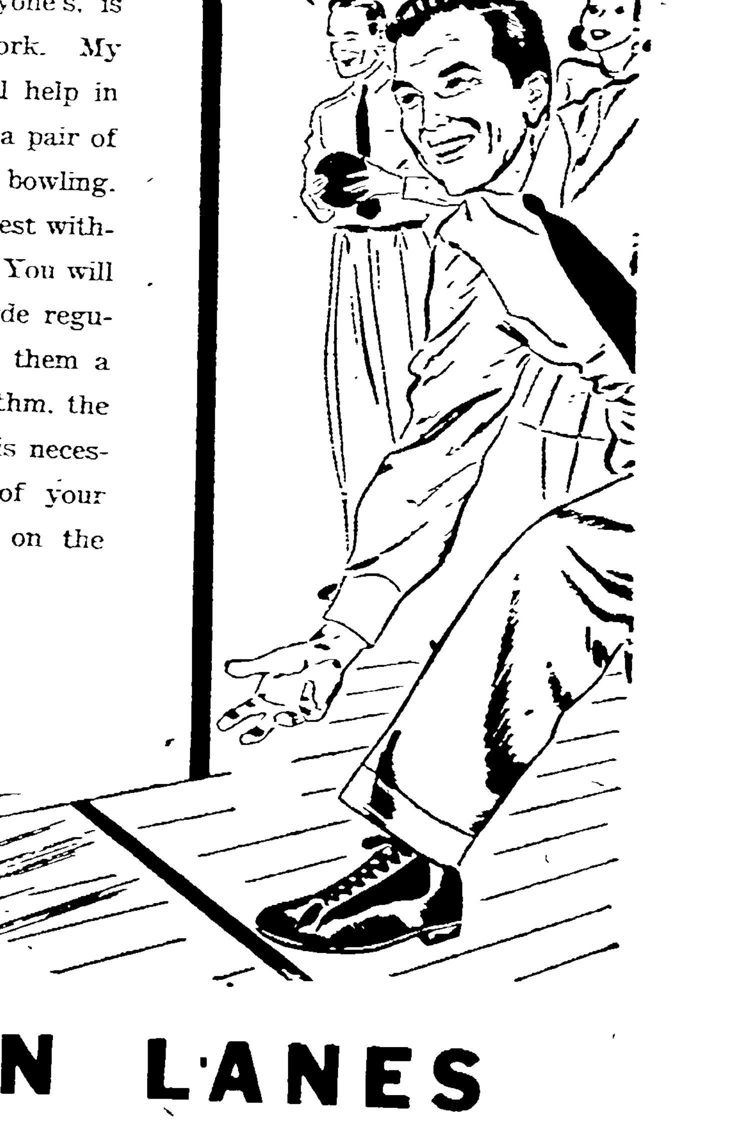

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New York Team Rolls 2,968 To Go Into ABC Lead

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 25 — (AP)—The major turning point in the 46th annual American Bowling Congress tournament was reached last night when the American Bowling and Billiard team of New York took over first place in the five-man team event with a 2,968 total.

It was the first team to live up to its advance notices. Leaders of the New York Metropolitan league and boasting a lineup that included some of the East's best bowlers, the A. B. and B.'s rolled off scores of 924, 1,019 and 1,025 to become the first team in the tournament to hit two games over the 1,000 mark.

To make their feat all the more impressive the New Yorkers were among the first teams on the squad to finish and be off the alleys. In comparison to some of the other names, the speedy bowling of the New Yorkers was a feature in itself.

Bowling right along with the New Yorkers, and with a better chance of going into the lead at the end of the first two games, was the Joe's Bar quintet of Cleveland, an unknown group that wound up with a 2,868 total for third place.

Jimmy Wasdell, a former major league baseball player was lead-off man for the Cleveland five, which besides rolling into third place also posted the team high single game of the tournament by hitting 1,049 in their second game. The previous team high was 1,043 rolled by the McClain-Pontiac Motors five of Warren, Pa., last week.

PRO BASKETBALL

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
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Moline 75, Anderson 72
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It is old home week in Philadelphia. Jimmie Dykes has returned to the Athletics as a coach, and the veteran Wally Moses, trying on a uniform he wore for seven seasons, is back in the outfield.

BOWLING BITS
By "FRIDAY"

In the Commercial league last night Hey Bros. and Fire Fighters each won two sets and went into a tie for second with 38-27, one game behind The Keg when the latter dropped two games.

Bill Shuck had the high series of the night with 597 and high games were: Bus Carlson 201, Bill Lieving 225, Mike Dusing 220, Larry Hoyle 200, Ken Detweiler 214, Dale Sennett 214-220, Bill Shuck 207-216, Cliff Volk 210, Hokey Metzen 221, Laverne John 200, Les Smith 200, Gilmore 205, Bill Mooney 201, Steinhagen 210, Oscar Winkleb 215, Al Nelson 201.

In the Lanes Men's league, Smith Oil increased their lead to seven games with 47-19 by winning two while Lincoln Lanes lost two to hold second with 40-26. Reynolds 1 took over third with 38-28.

Orville Hopkins had the high series of the night with 606 and high games were: Del Bohms 206, Bob Hoyle 215, Glen Hardesty 200, Bill Harden 201, Fred Bolanco 201, Ken Utz 220, Al Bickel 201-205, Bill McMullen 204, Orville Hopkins 222.

The ten high average bowlers in the Major league tonight are:

John Lange	184
Ned Sack	182
Dale Sennett	179
Orville Hopkins	178
Ken Detweiler	178
Eldon Myers	177
Cy Winebrenner	177

In the K. C. league the top average bowlers are:

George Meltraham	177
Frank Lessner	179
Steve Gall	181
Charlie Kent	176
Jim Devine	176
Jack Burke	175
"Red" White	174
John Dunphy	174
Paul Kopeck	173
John Slain	173

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
The Keg	40	26
Hey Bros	38	27
Fire Fighters	38	27
Marshall Barbers	36	29
Peter Pipers	35	30
Potts Market	34	31
Lloyds	34	31
Freeman Shoes	33	32
Wayne Feed	33	32
Rogers Printing	32	33
Shaw Printing	31	34
Studebaker Sales	29	36
Empire Sales	29	36
Carson "66"	28	37
Max Johns	27	38
Cahills Electric	23	43

Individual Records

High game—Ken Detweiler	256
High series—Ken Detweiler	656

Team Records

High game—Shaw Printing	1094
High series—The Keg	3047

The Keg		Peter Pipers	
Carlson	245	Bolanco	235
Kelly	211	Dusing	200
Elliott	191	Kohler	201
Lieving	229	Howard	188
Sweeney	229	Hoyle	225
	923 929 924 2776		924 991 1031 2946

Shaw Printing		Hey Bros.	
Crombie	268	Detweiler	272
Bishop	272	Sennett	259
Cooley	259	Jr. Hey	202
McConnaughay	271	J. Hey	219
Halstenberg	237	Winebrenner	200
	872 885 916 2673		952 943 909 2779

Marshall Barbers		Fire Fighters	
Levin	258	Volk	260
Dewey	278	Howard	245
Strub	203	Andreas	215
Shuck	267	Zeller	211
Smith	227	Heaton	222
	871 960 1001 2832		1000 1022 946 2968

Lloyds		Potts Market	
Lloyd	475	Teer	430
Rhodes	375	K. Potts	425
Hill	469	V. Potts	453
Schulte	437	Venier	374
Walters	485	Bylan	504
	851 925 865 2649		872 929 887 2688

Max Johns		Freeman Shoes	
Wasmund	442	Scott	418
Metzer	541	Gerber	502
M. John	402	Smith	506
Koesler	506	Gilmore	502
L. John	541	Mooney	540
	991 1035 935 2954		1014 1081 909 2904

Wayne Feed		Carsons '66'	
G. Beatty	519	Stacey	419
J. Beatty	392	Burrs	495
Stutts	570	Hartzell	507
McPherson	506	Carson	414
Steinhagen	497	Hagerty	568
	885 1003 1035 2944		889 833 973 2695

Empire Sales		Rogers Printing	
Everhoff	492	Burns	431
Lewis	395	Myers	502
Wakeley	499	Gardner ave	424
Fassler	416	Witzleb	502
Dunbar	446	Emmert ave	465
	748 867 973 2640		905 924 864 2693

Cahills Electric		Studebaker Sales	
Duffy	488	Shultz	490
Keane	421	Campbell ave.	450
Doug	467	Meinke	416
Olvas	421	Williams	441
Glessner	459	Nelson	500
	779 825 921 2625		950 933 914 2797

LANES MEN'S LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
Smith Oil	47	19
Lincoln Lanes	40	26
Reynolds Wire 1	38	28
Harmon Town	35	31
Reynolds 3	35	31
Underwood	29	37
Reynolds 2	25	41
Dixon Grain	25	41
Star Sales	24	42
Klein & Heckman	24	42
Evar Swanson	33	33
Shamrock	32	34
Rock Island Transfer	32	34
Reynolds 4	31	35
Freeman Shoes	30	36
Diamond H	29	37
Borden Cans	29	40
Engineers	26	40
Roberts & Hess	25	41
Three Deuces	21	45

Individual Records

High game—Don McCoy	256
High series—Rob Hoyle	654

Team Records

High game—Engineers	1105
High series—Reynolds 4	3102

Borden Cans		Smith Oil	
Fishback	372	J. Kranzusch	463
Self	445	Fazzi	479
Cox	369	Ommen	550
Ruehl	354	E. Kranzusch	503
McMullen	499	Hopkins	605
	939 943 995 2520		865 1015 990 2473

Reynolds 4		Lincoln Lanes	
Loescher	444	Roshman	537
Cabera	441	Kaczor	491
Zierd	459	Mannan	447
Weiler	399	Glanzer	461
Bonna	522	Brommerich	542
	915 930 975 2535		924 819 885 2628

Reynolds 1		Roberts & Hess	
Marnell	412	Hess	470
Stutts	473	Fred	535
Sumner	371	McCarty	579
Merriman	417	P. LaFever	440
McMillen	456	W. LaFever	445
	900 840 866 2606		943 884 849 2676

Harmon Twp.		Freeman Shoe	
Winkel	465	Hardesty	472
Walters	469	Alwines	459
Jacobs	515	Curtis	445
Ostrander	429	Bailey	456
Robbins ave	474	Clayton	514
	892 950 879 2702		942 884 934 2772

Reynolds 3		Diamond H	
Sandbaker	445	Farley	499
Kramer	537	Lancaster	474
Jones	354	Rothinger	446
Wilson	370	Garland	532
Winebrenner	514	Rampenthal	452
	913 924 814 2731		899 849 857 2605

Dixon Grain		Rock Island Trans.	
Hill	465	Boone	455
Hohan	498	Stelmle	423
Miller	362	Burket	434
Reiows	412	Burke	575
Pruzen	449	Meyraham	517
	901 925 946 2772		929 900 935 2766

Evar Swanson		Star Sales	
Wonder	430	Wilson	516
Harris	524	Rolando	505
Harden	515	Lang	389
Mayes	440	McCoy	464
Harden	450	Kerr	472
	953 931 865 2797		942 914 937 2793

Three Deuces		Klein & Heckman	
Hoover	426	Snyders	431
Stiles	360	Heckman	507
Carrico	475	Harps	539
Neipl	442	Rikke	517
Kirck	449	Harps	452
	949 822 850 2541		955 976 950 2873

Underwood Serv.		Shamrock	
Vitello	497	Price	572
Rumpler	442	Stutts	455
Underwood	416	Pittsinger	454
Frazee	426	Johnson	464
Hoyle	521	Cross	527
	944 909 931 2784		891 995 884 2773

Reynolds 2		Engineers	
Cooley	454	Schneider	452
Z. Spinden	450	Hilton	422
A. Spinden	517	Lewis	432
York	517	Platt	579
B. Spinden	443	Bushman	486
	946 870 848 2664		974 906 839 2721

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The fact that the boats had been in use for several seasons, and the increase in the number of motor boats operating in Rock river along the park frontage has made rowing hazardous in the opinion of the park district members. Due to these and several other reasons the board has ordered the discontinuance of the renting of row boats.

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	NO	

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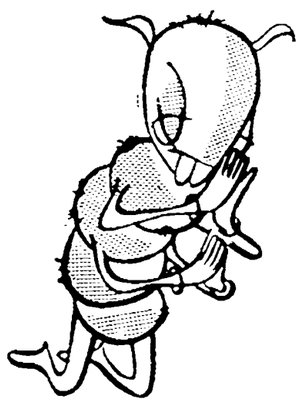

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